

OYSTER BAY IN DEEP MOURNING OVER DEATH OF COL. ROOSEVELT

Simple Funeral Services Will Be Held Today

OYSTER BAY, Jan. 7.—Theodore Roosevelt will be buried here tomorrow as a plain American citizen and not as a former president of the United States, in accordance with his own wish. His body will be laid at rest in a plot of his own selection in the village cemetery not far from the Sagamore Hill which he loved so well.

The only funeral rites will be the simple Protestant Episcopal service. It will be read by the rector of the little church where he had worshipped with his family. There will be none of the pomp and circumstance associated with the passing of great men but the presence of Vice-President Marshall who will represent President Wilson, General March representing the army and Admiral Winslow the navy, will add to the ceremony the dignity of the nation.

Governor Alfred E. Smith and leaders of both houses of the legislature will represent New York state.

Some Intimate Friends

A few of the noted men who were Colonel Roosevelt's closest friends have been invited to the funeral. They include Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and Charles Evans Hughes. Another mourner will be William H. Taft whose friendship for Roosevelt had been re-established more than a year ago. Senator Lodge and Mr. Hughes are expected to arrive early tomorrow and will spend most of the morning with the family at Sagamore Hill. The former president's body was placed tonight for the first time in the plain oak casket in which it will be taken tomorrow to Christ Church where the services are to be held at 12:45 o'clock. On this casket appears only a brief inscription—the name, Theodore Roosevelt, and the dates of birth and death.

Whether those at the church would be allowed to pass before the open casket and look for the last time upon the face of the former president was not known here today.

Mrs. Roosevelt was said to be undecided whether the coffin should be finally sealed before being carried into the sanctuary. Announcement may be made tomorrow morning but it appeared more probable that Mrs. Roosevelt would not make known her desire in this respect until after the service of prayer at Sagamore Hill tomorrow.

Only the immediate family of Colonel Roosevelt will be present at the prayer service which will be conducted by Rev. George E. Talmage who is to officiate at the church of which he is the rector. Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and Lieutenant Kermit Roosevelt who are with the American Expeditionary Force in France will be together while their father is being buried.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Jan. 7.—This village on Long Island Sound whose chief claim to fame for years has been that it was the home of Theodore Roosevelt, is in deepest mourning tonight. The thoughts of every citizen are centered on the simple but none the less solemn ceremony with which the former president will be laid to rest tomorrow.

While the entire nation is mourning the passing of a great man the grief of the people of Oyster Bay is more personal for they regarded him as a neighbor and a friend.

Notwithstanding the request of Mrs. Roosevelt that no flowers be sent, floral tributes arrived at Sagamore Hill throughout the day and the evening. The names of the donors were withheld. One of the bouquets made up of pink and white carnations served to awaken many memories within the Roosevelt family circle. It came from the children of Cove school where the sons and daughters of Colonel Roosevelt first studied reading and writing back in the days before their father became noted internationally.

It was Colonel Roosevelt's custom for many years to pay a visit on each Christmas day to Cove school. Each year he sent a Christmas tree and gifts for the pupils. But on the last Christmas of his life he was leaving Roosevelt Hospital and the presents were distributed by Captain Archibald Roosevelt in his stead. It was these boys and girls who sent to Sagamore Hill the tribute not the least welcome among the floral pieces.

Those not kept at the house were sent to the church.

Captain Archibald Roosevelt received a cablegram today from Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., saying he and his brother, Lieutenant Kermit Roosevelt, both with the American Expeditionary Force in Europe were together. Captain Archibald Roosevelt sent a cablegram in reply.

Many Make Personal Calls

Theodore said also in his message that Dr. Richard Derby was sailing at once for America, Lieu-

PROCLAMATION

On Death of Theodore Roosevelt Cabled from Paris By President Wilson.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The following proclamation on the death of Theodore Roosevelt was cabled from Paris today by President Wilson and issued tonight at the state department:

"Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America: "A proclamation to the people of the United States: "It becomes my sad duty to announce officially the death of Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States from Sept. 14, 1901 to March 4, 1909, which occurred at his home at Sagamore Hill, Oyster Bay, New York, at four fifteen o'clock in the morning of January 6, 1919. In his death the United States has lost one of its most distinguished and patriotic citizens, who had endeared himself to the people by his strenuous devotion to their interests and to the public interests of his country.

Showed Signal Ability

"As president of the police board of his native city, as member of the legislature and governor of his state, as civil service commissioner, as assistant secretary of the navy, as vice-president and as president of the United States, he displayed administrative powers of a signal order and conducted the affairs of these various offices with a concentration of effort and a watchful care which permitted no divergence from the line of duty he had definitely set for himself.

"In the war with Spain, he displayed singular initiative and energy and distinguished himself among the commanders of the army in the field. As president he awoke the nation to the dangers of private control which lurked in our financial and industrial systems. It was by his attention and stimulation the purpose of the country that he opened the way for subsequent necessity and beneficent reforms.

"His private life was characterized by a simplicity, a virtue and an affection worthy of all admiration and emulation by the people of America.

"In testimony of the respect in which his memory is held by the government and people of the United States I do hereby direct that the flags of the white house and the several departmental buildings be displayed at half staff for a period of thirty days, and that suitable military and naval honors and orders of the secretaries of war and of the navy be rendered on the day of the funeral.

"Done this Seventh Day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the One Hundred and Forty Third.

"Woodrow Wilson, "By the President, "Frank L. Polk, Acting Secretary of State."

tenant Colonel Derby is in the medical corps having sailed for France early in the war. Mrs. Derby is at Sagamore Hill. Many persons of prominence called at Sagamore Hill today. Representing Cuba came Carlos Manuel Cespedes, minister to the United States; Alfonso Ferecaca, secretary of the Cuban house of representatives and Cayetano de Quesada, vice-consul.

After telling Captain Roosevelt how high was the esteem in which Cuban people held his father, he informed him that at the request of people of Cuba the government president proposed to erect in Cuba a monument in honor of the colonel.

Another Sagamore Hill caller was Colonel Alexander Sauter medical corps U. S. A., who had at various times attended the colonel.

After talking with Mrs. Roosevelt he said she was bearing up remarkably well and added that the American people had little realized how much the former president depended on Mrs. Roosevelt in his career.

Reply to Wilson's Message

Captain Roosevelt replied today to the cablegram in which President Wilson expressed to Mrs. Roosevelt his sympathy for her loss. The message was despatched in New York by Elton Hooker, who was treasurer of the old Progressive national committee and who was a Sagamore Hill visitor today. In his response to the president, Captain Archibald said:

"President Woodrow Wilson, American Peace Mission, Paris, France: "Permit me to thank you, on behalf of Mrs. Roosevelt for your courteous message of sympathy. "Archibald D. Roosevelt, Captain 26th Infantry."

Besides the callers at Sagamore Hill today, long distance telephone messages came from Vice-President Marshall in Washington and Governor Smith in Albany. Each

DELEGATES BEGIN STUDYING TERMS OF PEACE LEAGUE

Considerable Progress Made On Various Proposals

PARIS, Jan. 7.—(By The Associated Press.)—The return to Paris by President Wilson, the arrival of Lord Robert Cecil, the special delegate of the British government on the League of Nations, and the presence here of Leon Bourgeois, the French representative on the same subject the inauguration of exchanges on the definite terms by which the league is to be constituted.

Already considerable progress has been made on the various tentative proposals put forward, but in recent absence of the president these have not taken definite form as it is recognized that he personally will take a leading part in the final formulation of the plan. Meanwhile, however, the various governments chiefly interested are presenting outlines in quite definite form.

Two British plans of this tentative nature have been presented—one by Lord Robert Cecil, the other by Lieutenant General J. C. Smuts, of the war cabinet. The French plan as formulated by M. Bourgeois has also been set forth. Lord Robert Cecil's plan outlines a broad and comprehensive organization of the league of nations, but thus far it is in the general terms and has not been reduced to definite terms of enactment as it would appear in a treaty.

General Smuts' Plan.

General Smuts' plan is along similar lines, but more general and is mainly a thesis on the advantages of such a league of nations. General Smuts, former minister of defense of the Union of South Africa, confederated will come here with the British prime minister, David Lloyd George.

Both of these plans are receiving careful study by the American authorities and it is declared, both are regarded in a most favorable light, tho it still remains to reduce the general principles to concrete terms.

M. Bourgeois' plan embodying the French point of view while general also embraces a number of specific details including compulsory arbitration, restriction of excessive armament, an international tribunal and a series of sanctions or penalties for enforcement observance of the league's decisions. These sanctions include various diplomatic, judicial and economic measures whereby the United Nations may enforce their decrees. The American viewpoint as it is now being formulated by the specialists as the ground work for the president seeks to reach an accord on fundamentals on which all agree and present them in simple working form. One of the chief of these fundamentals is the formation of a league which will embrace all the nations of the world, but not one which will establish any balance of power among a group of nations.

Also care is being taken that influence of the various nations in the league would be in accordance with their size and importance so that the great powers and out small powers would have voice according to their standing.

Concerning Small Nations.

Another feature especially concerning small undeveloped nations is to be established according to the American plan—a system of international trusteeships whereby the various larger nations having a developed and stable civilization will act as trustees for the society of nations in fostering the progress and development of undeveloped communities.

It is recognized that the league of nations will have to have some establishment and permanent seat for its extensive international work and the gradual conviction is taking form that this seat will be Versailles. The decision as to this, however might be the natural outgrowth of the peace conference.

LABORS TWO MONTHS; TWO DAYS' LIBERTY

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Jan. 7.—Neal Edward Gallagher, alias Arthur Armstrong, who spent two months in saving his way to liberty out of Aurora, Ill., jail and who made his get-away Saturday night was captured near here today. He used greased string and emery dust on two bars of his cell. Gallagher was recently paroled from the Iowa reformatory where he was serving a sentence for theft. He is accused of burglary at Aurora.

\$1,000,000 LIFE POLICY

Chicago, Jan. 7.—William Wrigley, Jr., millionaire and a heavy stockholder in the Chicago National league baseball club, has taken a life insurance policy for \$1,000,000. The annual premium on the ordinary life plan will be \$60,000.

Dry Amendment Ratified by Three More of the States

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Three more states today ratified the proposed prohibition amendment making a total of 19 states that have endorsed the proposal of congress. The house of the Idaho legislature voted today for the amendment and if the senate follows suit, the proposal will need to be passed by only sixteen more states.

While the proposed addition to the basic law was ratified today by the legislatures of Ohio, Colorado and Oklahoma, representatives of the distillery companies of the country met in Chicago and decided to oppose both amendment and the war prohibition law which is to go into effect on July 1, by every legal means possible.

The states which have ratified the prohibition amendment thus far are:

Kentucky, Virginia, Mississippi, South Carolina, North Dakota, Maryland, Montana, Arizona, Delaware, Texas, South Dakota, Massachusetts, Georgia, Louisiana, Florida, Michigan, Ohio, Colorado and Oklahoma.

Resolutions adopted today declared that the time had come for members of the liquor industry to make "a most determined resistance" to such revolutionary methods "referring to the war-time prohibition law and the proposed federal constitutional amendment. The action taken today also provides that the power to make liquors fight shall be vested in a committee and Attorney Levy Mayer of Chicago, was appointed chief counsel.

Altho Mr. Mayer would make no statement for publication regarding plans for the coming court battles, it is said to be the plan to a low the government to make the first move by charging a violation and upon the prosecution thereof the liquor interest will wage their fight.

The resolutions adopted today stated that there are 500 distilleries in the country with an aggregate investment in plants and products of at least \$1,000,000,000; that the industry actually antedates the constitution adopted in 1789 and that the business "has heretofore been recognized, encouraged and protected by the United States government itself."

REMOVAL OF WESLEYAN UNDECIDED

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The question of removing Wesleyan college from Bloomington, Ill., to Springfield, Ill., according to Bishop Thomas Nicholson, of the education commission of the M. E. church, probably will be referred to a committee instructed to report within 60 days.

The commission of which B. P. Nicholson is chairman, held an all day executive session here today. The bishop said that if the school is removed it is probable that Hedding college, at Abingdon, Ill., will be consolidated with it and that the structures occupied by the seminary at Onarga would be diverted to other uses.

Shanahan Republican Choice for Speakership

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 7.—David E. Shanahan of Chicago, was the choice of the Republican caucus for speaker on the first ballot tonight, his vote being forty-eight, two more than necessary for election by the caucus. The vote on other candidates was as follows:

Norman G. Flagg of Moro, 37. Edward D. Shurtliff of Marengo, 3. Edward Perkins of Lincoln, 1. Blank.

The balloting was secret. Shanahan's candidacy was fought strenuously by the "dry" forces. Shurtliff, Flagg and Perkins are "drys."

In the Democratic house caucus Michael Igoe of Chicago was chosen for minority leader of the house.

Senate Democrats are expected to name Senator Al F. Gorman of Chicago, minority leader in the upper house.

Both Igoe and Gorman were minority leaders in their respective houses in the last session of the legislature.

Naming of Senator Gorman was delayed, it was stated, because of the absence of Senators Charles R. McNay of Ursa and F. C. Campbell of Kentia who were expected to arrive some time during this night.

Drys Will Back Shanahan.

The choice of Shanahan by the Republican caucus was considered tantamount to election when the house meets at noon tomorrow, "drys" having asserted repeatedly that they would abide by the decision of the caucus. It was expected that Shanahan's vote would be made unanimous by acclamation.

Mr. Shanahan in a brief address to caucus members said he would if elected be for a roll call on any measure at any time the house determined and that he "would exercise all fairness" in the appointment of committees.

Five Socialist Leaders Case to Jury Today

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Final argument of counsel was concluded today in the trial of the five Socialist leaders charged with conspiracy to violate the espionage law. The case will be given to the jury tomorrow morning after Federal Judge Landis has instructed the jury in regard to the law involved in the trial.

Assistant District Attorney J. B. Fleming spoke for nearly four hours in closing the arguments for the government. He reviewed the evidence at length and declared that the prosecution had clearly established that the defendants had conspired to violate the espionage law.

"When German submarines were sinking our ships and murdering hundreds of defenseless men, women and children, when our country was swarming with German spies and our factories and ammunition plants were being blown up, Victor L. Berger and the other four defendants in this case were working day and night making seditious speeches and circulating treasonable literature," said Assistant District Attorney Fleming. "This group of men were shouting for peace when they knew the only peace possible was a German peace."

"It is absurd to argue that their only object was to obtain recruits for the Socialist party," Attorney Seymour Stedman made the closing argument for the defense earlier in the day. He declared that the government had failed to prove its case either with direct or circumstantial evidence and asked that the defendants be discharged. He closed with an appeal for the protection of the rights of free speech, a free press and free assembly.

MAPPING MACHINES MAKE FAST TIME

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 7.—Flying 200 miles from Dayton, Ohio, in 95 minutes, the two map-making machines of the squadron of three planes which left Ellington Field, Houston, Texas, December 14, arrived here this afternoon, covering the complete trip of 1,876 miles from the Gulf in 876 minutes flying time.

The map-making machines were piloted by Lieutenants E. H. Hill and B. M. Jones, with Lieutenants J. W. Wagener and Lawson Henry, mappers and observers.

The flight was made for the purpose of mapping an air route from the Gulf to the lakes locating suitable landing places and making general observations to guide future air work of the service.

WILSON SPEAKS AT TURIN

Turin, Monday, Jan. 6.—From the balcony of the Philharmonic Hall, President Wilson spoke as follows:

"It is very delightful to feel your friendship given so cordially and so graciously and I hope with all my heart that in the peace that is about to be concluded Italy may find her happiness and her prosperity. I am sure that I am only speaking the sentiments that come from the heart of the American people when I say, viva Italia!"

UNIFIED PRIVATE MANAGEMENT OF ALL RAILROADS

Will Be Recommended To Congress By Executives

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Railroad executives have decided to recommend to congress a system of unified private management of railroad lines with strong public control exercised by a secretary of transportation in the president's cabinet and a re-organized interstate commerce commission with regional divisions acting as a court of last resort in rate disputes.

This became known here today coincidental with the disclosure of the interstate commerce commission's attitude that railroads should be returned to private management within a reasonable period, to allow for preparations and readjustments, and under "broadened, extended and amplified governmental regulation."

Commission's Announcement.

The commission's announcement was made by Commissioner Edgar E. Clark, testifying at the senate hearings on proposed railroad legislation to which the railway executives proposed plan will be presented tomorrow or Thursday. The commission opposed definite control or government ownership or operation of railroads at this time and outlined a comprehensive plan for legislation which would put elimination of unnecessary competition, pooling of facilities, government prescription of maximum and minimum rates and standards of service, government direction of railroad extensions and financing and direct co-operation between federal and state regulatory bodies. Commissioner Woolly dissented in part advocating Director General McAdoo's proposal that government control be extended for five years to provide a test period. The interstate commerce's suggestions were the first alternatives to Mr. McAdoo's extension plan so far received by the senate committee.

Broad Powers to Secretary

The interstate commerce commission's statement to the senate committee in control of the railroads but did not specify whether this was to be the commission itself or some other agency. The plan of the railroad executives on the other hand proposes to give to the secretary of transportation broad powers to coordinate and unify rail facilities whenever demanded by the public interest; to distribute traffic over various lines for the purpose of relieving congestion and expediting the service; to order the transfer of cars from one line to another where they are most needed and to require the joint use of terminals by competing lines. To coordinate the agencies of government control, the railroad executives propose to transfer to the department of transportation the executive and administrative functions now held by the interstate commerce commission. The commission would remain the court of last resort as to reasonableness and adequacy of freight and passenger rates, but the responsibility for rate regulation would be divided between the secretary of transportation, the commission and new regional commissions representing groups of states, reporting their findings to the commission at Washington.

The proposal of the railroad leaders is that rates filed by them with the government shall be reviewed by the secretary of transportation who may approve or disapprove them or refer them to the commission. Any rates made the subject of complaint by the public could be brought before the commission for review regardless of the cabinet officers' action.

Would Increase Efficiency.

The period for which rates might be suspended pending investigation would be reduced from ten months as at present to two months. The railroad men's attitude is that the commerce commission's efficiency would be increased by relieving it of administrative detail and its turning over to regional commissions of much routine involved in hearing local rate cases.

To make possible consolidation of weak railroads with strong lines, joint uses of cars and facilities, inter-company agreements as to rates and practices the rail executives would amend existing laws forbidding these practices and legalize them under supervision of the secretary of transportation. Other features of the railroad proposal include federal incorporation of all railroad companies, federal control of railroad security issues, the establishment of a federal wage board to investigate wage and employment disputes.

WILL BE HONORED AT GRANT

Rockford, Jan. 7.—Colonel Roosevelt will be honored in true military fashion at Camp Grant tomorrow.

SENDING U. S. TROOPS TO RUSSIA CRITICIZED BY SEN. LAFOLLETTE

Millions of Tons of Foodstuffs Needed Abroad

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—At least 11,400,000 tons of foodstuffs costing approximately \$350,000,000 delivered, will be needed to carry thru until the next harvest the populations of the districts thus far investigated by the American staff of the committee on European relief. This estimate was sent by Herbert Hoover today to the food administration in a cablegram reviewing the conditions as found in Central Europe and the Balkan States.

The surveys made by the American commission Mr. Hoover said, disclosed that meats, fats and milk are so short in many regions that the health of the people is very much impaired, mortality among children is appalling and there is a constant menace thru the threatened spread of Bolshevism especially in the cities.

Conditions Pointed Out.

The conditions in the various districts were summarized by Mr. Hoover in his cablegram as follows:

"Finland—The food is practically exhausted in the cities. While many of the peasants have some bread, other sections are mixing large amounts of straw. They are exhausted of fats, meats and sugar, and need help to prevent renewed rise of Bolshevism."

"Baltic States—The food may last one or two months on a much reduced scale.

"Serbia—The town bread ration is down to three ounces daily in the north. In the south the British are furnishing food to the civil population."

"Jugo-Slavia—The bread ration is many towns is three or four ounces. All classes are short of fats, milk and meat."

"Vienna—Except for supplies furnished by the Italians and Swiss their present bread ration of six ounces per diem would disappear. There is much illness from the shortage of fats. There are no coffee, sugar or eggs and practically no meat."

"Tyrol—The people are being fed by Swiss charity.

"Poland—The peasants probably have enough to get thru. The mortality in cities, is appalling for lack of fats, milk, meat and bread."

"Roumania—The bread supply for the entire people is estimated to last another thirty days. They are short of fats and milk. The last harvest was sixty per cent a failure."

"Bulgaria—The harvest was a failure here. There are supplies available for probably two or three months."

"Armenia is already starving.

"Czechoslovakia—There is large suffering from lack of fats and milk. They have bread for two or three months and sugar for six months."

Many Killed by Explosion in Film Exchange

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 7.—Between fifteen and twenty persons, mostly women and girls, were killed and more than a score others injured here late today when a terrific explosion wrecked a film exchange building at 804 Penn. avenue, in the downtown section of the city. Eight bodies have been recovered from the ruins, and firemen, working on the interior of the structure, report that many other bodies are buried under the wreckage.

The building in which the explosion occurred is a six story structure and many of those injured received their hurts by jumping from the upper floors.

Many firemen were injured, two when an extended ladder collapsed and others by flying wreckage. Hospitals thruout the city are receiving wounded, while bodies are being removed to the morgue.

The chief of the Pittsburgh fire department went thru the ruined structure tonight, and estimated the total loss at \$1,000,000.

WOMAN SCUFFLES WITH HOLDUP MAN

DAVENPORT, Ia., Jan. 7.—Mrs. H. Meredith, proprietress of a grocery store had her left arm broken at six o'clock last night in a scuffle with a youthful hold-up man. It was perhaps the most daring crime of its kind ever committed in Davenport.

While covered with the bandit's gun, Mrs. Meredith endeavored to save the money in the cash register. She was then knocked down and her arm broken. The bandit escaped with \$25.

Others Assist in Attack Against Administration

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Senator LeFollette of Wisconsin

Republican, speaking today in the senate criticized the sending of American troops to Russia and denied that the Soviet government of Russia is pro-German. He said a mass of information with documents attesting the reliability of the Bolsheviks had been brought out of Russia last spring and repeated efforts to present them to the American government have been without success.

"I don't know how other senators feel," Senator LaFollette declared, "but I would be false to the people if I said that I did not exhaust every means within my power to ascertain definitely and ultimately what right there is that hundreds of men from Wisconsin have been sent upon an enterprise," / Senator LaFollette was interrupted by Senator Kenyon, Republican of Iowa, who asked what had become of the resolution introduced by Senator Johnson of California asking the state department for information relative to the status of relations between this government and Russia.

Senator Swanson, Democrat of Virginia, a member of the foreign relations committee interrupted to reply that the resolution was to have been considered by the committee tomorrow but that the meeting was postponed because senators will be absent attending the funeral of Theodore Roosevelt.

Sent to Protect Supplies.

The Virginia senator said that from information in his possession allied troops including about 2000 Americans were sent into Russia to protect supplies and prevent Germany from establishing a submarine base in the vicinity of Archangel. The allied troops, he said, number between 15,000 and 20,000 men.

Senator LaFollette said that while this might explain the sending of troops to Russia, he had information in his possession which denied that the Russian Soviet government was pro-German. "I think the proof is overwhelming," he continued, "if it ever permitted to come before the American people, that the Soviet government exerted itself to enlist the sympathies and support of the United States government to the end that it might be strong enough to resist the German government."

Reason Demanded.

An official statement from the administration as to the right reason for presence of American troops in Russia was demanded by Senator LaFollette, who declared that whether the Soviet government approves or disapproves of Bolshevism rule that establishes no right for hostility with Russian forces without a declaration of war.

"Whatever comes to the American people thru censored channels of the press regarding the Soviet government," Senator LaFollette said, "ought to be subjected to careful study and reflection before being taken as statistical whole truth."

"The great organized wealth of the world fear above all things on earth the principles attempted to be established by the Soviet government and it is not to be expected that there shall be permitted to reach the ears of the masses of the people of the world so long as the news channels are censored, anything approaching the truth as to that government and what is taking place there today."

"So I say that if the Bolshev government of which we read know so little, is the sort of government that the 140,000,000 people want, that's their business and not ours, nor of any other government on earth. And under this pretext no government should intrude itself into their affairs."

"The war is ended and there can be no pretext that the troops of the United States are operating in fighting Germany or fighting anybody else but the Russian people. There has been no declaration of war could be proclaimed. But battles are being fought."

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WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURE

Illinois—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, warmer Thursday.

Temperatures

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Tuesday were:

	High	Low
Jacksonville, Ill.	31	37
Bloomington	34	34
Boonville	40	40
Carbondale	26	40
New Orleans	52	60
Chicago	30	23
St. Louis	34	28
Denver	34	28
Omaha	18	30
Minneapolis	38	32
Hialeah	28	34
San Francisco	52	60
Winnipeg	38	34
Jacksonville, Fla.	48	56

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MR. SHANAHAN WINS.

The selection of Mr. Shanahan by the Republican caucus to be speaker of the Illinois assembly was anticipated by many of the best informed party leaders in the state. Mr. Shanahan may have had certain large interests working for his selection but certainly it was due in a great degree to the excellence of the record he has made as speaker. He is an able parliamentarian, thoroughly familiar with assembly usages and customs, acquainted with the needs of the state and in the past has been a fair-minded presiding officer.

MR. TAFT'S COMMENT ON ROOSEVELT.

Many have been the comments upon the death of ex-President Roosevelt and messages of sympathy have almost flooded the wires to Oyster Bay. In these messages none has been marked with more sincerity that of ex-President Taft.

The sentences are interesting because they indicate not only Mr. Taft's great regard for Mr. Roosevelt, but prove too Mr. Taft's broad spirit, for the strained relations which existed between the two in 1912 and for some years afterward are well remembered. Mr. Taft said: "We have lost a great patriotic American, a great world figure, the most commanding person since Lincoln. I mourn his going as a personal loss."

THE CUMMINS PLAN.

Senator Cummins' plan for government ownership of railroads contemplates the leasing of the roads to private management. Without deep study of the question this does not strike one as a happy solution of the big question. Under lease the government would certainly have a means of control but it does not appear that the government ownership

of the properties would really help out the situation. The suggestion which managers are to make that a new cabinet position be created and railroads supervised by a secretary with broad powers, sounds feasible. While government operation the past months may have speeded up the movement of munitions, certainly it did not add to the efficiency of the manner in which general business is handled. The average shipper today is not enthusiastic about the government's railroad operation system.

BUSY ASSEMBLY SESSION IN PROSPECT.

The session of the general assembly now to open promises to be one of the most important in the history of the state. There are reasons for thinking that the good record of the last assembly will be equaled and perhaps surpassed. The message of Gov. Lowden to the assembly will be somewhat lengthy, as it treats of a variety of important subjects and advocates various reforms, related particularly to labor, hard roads, courts, revenue, reforms, charities and public health. The law which Gov. Lowden advocated before the last assembly uniting so many state departments and making for a strong business administration is generally accounted as one of the most important pieces of legislation ever enacted in the state.

The governor's recommendations now are for various business and reform measures. The executive can be counted on to use his wide influence for their passage and this promises to be a busy business assembly session. It is hopeful, indeed, that legislative work is not to be delayed for a series of weeks by a speakership contest.

WHEN SOLDIERS GO TO SCHOOL.

Methods employed in the army of the U. S. to keep the men fit have surprised the people of other countries. The activities of the Y. M. C. A., the K. C., and kindred organizations have been presented from time to time in the past and the world is now quite familiar with the large influence these agencies have had in building up and preserving the morale of the American troops. Not so much has been said about the schools that have been conducted in the American army. Occasionally they are referred to as "the universities in khaki."

They have been developed quite largely since the signing of the armistice and the purpose is to keep the men occupied and to improve their status after return to

civil life. In the army today there are thousands of teachers in common schools and professors in colleges, finely equipped for this work, and the schools in the army are certainly making a valuable contribution to American life.

LOWDEN AND THE PRESIDENCY.

When Col. Roosevelt was in Springfield last summer and made a centennial address, there was a great deal of political gossip about the possibilities of his nomination for the presidency, with Gov. Lowden as his running mate. Frequently afterward in the press the names of Roosevelt and Lowden were associated. Then there have been separate and distinct suggestions of the name of Gov. Lowden for the presidency. The removal of the great American leader at this time, in view of many people very largely increases the possibilities of Gov. Lowden as a presidential candidate. There is no Republican in national life today to whom the party can look as the preeminent leader. There are a number of strong men within the party entirely capable of bearing presidential responsibilities and Gov. Lowden is in the group and ranks with any of them.

A SUGGESTION TO THE CHICAGO BOARD.

Ex-Senator Hugh Magill has just left for Washington to enter upon his new duties there as director of the educational division of the treasury department. Mr. Magill goes to a responsible position at the national capital. In the minds of some of his friends—those who are most familiar with his capabilities and work—his name has occurred as a possibility for the superintendency of the Chicago schools. The board of education there is in search of a strong man—one with broad experience in educational work with ideals and vision. Mr. Magill can measure up to many of the desired qualifications and while he is in no way a candidate for the position, it is quite possible that some of his friends will bring his name to the attention of the Chicago board.

Rippling Rhymes By Walt Mason

STOLEN OR STRAYED

We hear of all the famous Huns who put up hay and barley, when Teuts were busy shooting guns, sent forth by Bill and Charley. Old Hindenburg is still alive, though dark disaster viewed he; he boasts himself and seems to thrive—but what's become of Ludy? And Bill himself in Holland sits, and writes an endless letter; four times a day he throws some his, and murmurs "Dunnetter!" The future looks to him so bleak he's sick at heart and moody, and scolding tears are on his cheek—but what's become of Ludy? Von Tirpitz bobs up now and then, in news from o'er the water, although he isn't sending men to raw, unlicensed slaughter. He saw his navy loop the loop, and in black sorrow stewed he, yet still he paws around and whoops—but what's become of Ludy? And Ludendorff, six months ago, was greater than the greatest, the prophet he of war and woe, the champion all round hatist. He was the German hero; and prop, the military dude he; now all the others whine and yawn, but what's become of Ludy?

HOME FROM DECATUR

Mrs. S. T. Anderson returned last night from Decatur where she went for a holiday visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Marsh. Mrs. Anderson's stay in Decatur was prolonged by the illness of the members of her daughter's family, who were suffering from influenza. Mrs. Marsh was taken ill with the disease a few days ago but is now on the way to recovery, as are other members of the family.

BACK TO MONTICELLO

Miss Frances Strawn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strawn, has ended a pleasant and happy vacation of three weeks and has returned to her studies at Monticello academy.

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THE PROPOSED HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

People are beginning to wonder about the seeming delay of the board of education in proceeding with plans for building the Jacksonville high school. Some weeks ago the plans submitted in the contest by Architect Royer of Urbana were accepted and since that time, which was in fact nearly three months ago, nothing seems to have been done to advance the building project.

The matter comes to attention at this time because a tax rate of \$2.70 per \$100 of valuation has been recently announced, which means that a tax of approximately \$50,000 has been levied for building purposes. Months ago a bond issue of \$100,000 was authorized and according to the report made at the board meeting Monday night, there remains on hand a balance of \$65,577.10 in the money received from insurance. Of the original sum of \$92,225.23 received from insurance, something like \$28,500 was spent on the purchase of the Springer property, the installation of heating plant and the wrecking of the high school building.

The affairs of the board of education for months past have moved in a very satisfactory way and the board has often been complimented thru the press and by individuals for the spirit of co-operative work shown and the business judgment manifested.

Now that the government ban on building material has been removed and since extensive funds are available it has been expected that the board would push rapidly ahead with the building work. Three months ago when the plans of Mr. Royer were accepted it was the general understanding of the public that these plans were to be worked out in more detail afterward and that the board would take early opportunity for determining on all details and then proceed with the matter of securing bids for construction. But thus far if Mr. Royer has appeared before the board, or if anything further has been done about the plans, the public is uninformed.

This article is intended not as a criticism of the board but rather as an inquiry. With plans reported as accepted, with funds available, seemingly the next reasonable step is the letting of a contract. The board had a lengthy meeting Monday night but a perusal of the report fails to reveal anything of an informing kind about the proposed high school.

The present working plan for the high school and David Prince school is giving satisfactory results in the emergency situation, but certainly if a building can be ready for use during the next school year it will be highly desirable.

CLARK GREEN HELD CLOSING OUT SALE

Disposed of Stock and Other Effects Tuesday. Total \$7,900.—E. O. Towne Disposed of Some Holdings at the Sale.

Clark Green held a closing out sale at his farm eight miles south-east of the city Tuesday. The sale was well attended and good prices prevailed. This was especially true of farming implements. The sale totaled \$7,900.

Charles M. Strawn was the auctioneer and S. J. Cunniff served as clerk. The ladies of Asbury church served the lunch. E. O. Towne also disposed of some of his holdings in young calves and they were sold by Mr. Strawn after the Green sale closed. Ed Barrows acted as clerk for that sale. Some of the prices and buyers are given herewith:

Horses and Mules
John Hembrough, 8 year old horse at \$150.
A. D. Arnold, 6 year old horse at \$145; 8 year old mare at \$127.50; 7 year old mare at \$137.50.
M. R. Coe, 12 year old mare at \$130.
Charles McGath, 10 year old mare at \$105; 5 year old mare at \$85; 9 year old horse at \$80.
Fletcher Blackburn, 4 year old horse at \$80.
Elmer Green, 3 year old horse at \$82.50.
Harry Norris, mare at \$75.
Scott Tranbarger, road colt at \$67.50.
E. E. Henry, pair mule colts at \$100.
Robert Hembrough, 11 year old mare at \$80.
John Becker, two colts at \$71.
A. O. Harris, cow at \$73.50.
William Jersey, cow at \$115.
and \$140.
Corn in the crib sold at \$1.39
Oats straw, 45c per bale.

Attend the big Curtain Clearance at Andre & Andre's this week.

CAMP NO. 912, M. W. A. Elected Officers

Jacksonville Camp No. 912 Modern Woodmen of America held their annual election of officers last night.

There was a large attendance present and several applications were acted upon. The camp intends to initiate a large class in the near future and Supreme Organizer Johnson of Lincoln, Neb., is expected to come to Jacksonville soon to help in the organization work.

After the election of officers last night Charles DeSilva served refreshments.

The officers elected are: Joe Past Consul—John N. Joaquin. Venerable Consul—Charles E. Patterson.

Worthy Advisor—Robert F. Asher.

Banker—Vincent Vieira. Clerk—J. Earl Vasconcellos. Escort—H. Williams. Watchman—Adam Ehrhott, Sr. Sentry—Charles Rogers. Manager for three years—E. M. Vasconcellos.

Trustees—E. A. Rohman and A. F. Madison.

Physicians recommended are Drs. E. D. Canatsey and J. U. Day.

CAPT. MURDOCK IN U. S.

Capt. James O. Murdock, son of Mrs. Sarah Murdock of South Prairie street, this city, is one of the world's officers who recently arrived from overseas in New York. He is an officer in artillery regiment from Utah. It is not thought that his injuries are serious.

L. F. O'Donnell, Paige dealer, returned Tuesday night from a short business trip to Kane, Ill.

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FRDE THOMAS WAS WITH ROOSEVELT

Colored Man in Employ of York Brothers Was With Calvary Regiment in Spanish-American War.

Fred Thomas, a colored man in the employ of York Brothers was with the late Theodore Roosevelt at the battle of San Juan Hill.

Thomas was a corporal in a colored calvary regiment and says that Col. Roosevelt led his men in the charge. Thomas says he was but twenty feet behind Roosevelt and that he displayed great bravery and infected his men with his great dash and personal magnetism.

In this charge according to Thomas they came upon a small block house which the Spaniards had erected for defensive purposes and Col. Roosevelt and some of his men captured several Spaniards.

After capturing these men the Colonel said, "Come on boys let's see if we can find some more." Taking a small detachment of men they soon came upon more of the enemy and in a battle accounted for twenty-three Spaniards, Roosevelt himself killing two of them. The engagement lasted only a short time.

Thomas said that Col. Roosevelt treated his men well and that they all admired him greatly. Thomas served in the Ninth calvary for a year and a half at that time and was discharged from service at Fort Riley.

Social Events

D. A. R. Held First

Meeting of Year Tuesday. Rev. James Caldwell Chapter D. A. R., held its first meeting of the year with Miss Trubee of Mound avenue Tuesday afternoon. There was a large attendance and the members were occupied with making little black dresses for the Belgian children. The regular business session was held and several new members were elected to membership. The chapter has been engaged in war relief work since the outbreak of the war and has an enviable record along that line. Plans were discussed for the year's work and it is hoped that much will be accomplished thru the coming months.

East Side Tuesday Club.

The East Side Tuesday club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth Laurie of 253 Finley street, with a good attendance. Three papers were read as follows:

"Caves of Kentucky"—Mrs. G. R. Bradley.

"Mothering the Nation's Girl"—Mrs. L. B. Turner.

"The Only American Woman Soldier"—Mrs. E. L. Kinney.

After the program the afternoon was spent socially.

The next meeting of the club will be held Tuesday afternoon, January 20th, with Mrs. A. C. Metcalf.

FUNERALS

DeFreitas.

The remains of J. M. DeFreitas whose funeral was held Monday were interred in Jacksonville cemetery at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The many beautiful flowers were cared for by Miss Frances Frank, Mrs. Royal Souza, Mrs. Manuel Munis and Mrs. Joe Franks. The bearers were Cloyd, Ernest, Lloyd, William and Irvin DeFreitas, sons of the deceased, and Charles DeFreitas, a grandson.

Maves.

Funeral services for Mrs. Holley R. Maves were held from Williamson and Cody's undertaking parlors at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning in charge of the Rev. G. W. Randle, pastor of Brooklyn church. Miss Hazel Bella Long sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "When You Ring Those Golden Bells for You and Me". There were many beautiful flowers and these were cared for by Misses Bertha Davis, Pearl Davis and Hettie Lacey. Burial was in Asbury cemetery, the bearers being Paul Barrows, Dean Hembrough, George McGinnison, Carl Hembrough, George Hembrough and Harry Craig.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS INSTALLED OFFICERS

Jacksonville and Favorite Lodges Held Joint Installation

Members of Jacksonville Lodge No. 152 and Favorite Lodge No. 376 Knights of Pythias held a joint installation of officers in Castle hall Tuesday evening. There was a large number of members present and the installation was in charge of Past Grand Chancellor John J. Reeve. The officers installed are:

Jacksonville.
Chancellor—Commander—Bacon C. Lair.
Vice Chancellor—Edward A. Litter.
Prelate—Lloyd E. Hall.
Master of Work—Charles J. Buhner.
Keeper of Records and Seal—Charles A. Howard.
Master of Finance—Herbert C. White.
Master of Exchequer—Ralph I. Dunlap.
Master at Arms—John B. Silbert.
Inner Guard—John F. Kellogg.
Outer Guard—George A. Wise-man.
Favorite.
Chancellor—Commander—George Gerlach.
Vice Chancellor—Bennie Stice.
Prelate—Charles Padgett.
Master of Work—A. R. Myrick.
Master of Finance—J. E. Scott.
Master of Exchequer—L. B. Turner.
Keeper of Records and Seal—O. H. Cook.
Inner Guard—L. F. Jordan.
Outer Guard—Charles M. Coffrey.

Needling curtains? All odd pairs, and short lengths in curtain materials, will be sold regardless of cost this week at Andre & Andre's.

SCHEDULE FOR "GYM" WORK AT Y. M. C. A.

Physical Director Walker Announces New Schedule Which Is Now Effective.

Physical Director Harry Walker announced the new schedule for gymnasium classes at the Y. M. C. A. The new schedule which is given hereunder was made necessary by the changes in public school study hours:

Business men, 5 to 6 Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Seniors, 8 to 9:30 Monday and Thursday evenings. Intermediate, 8 to 9:30 Wednesday and Friday evenings. Junior A, 8 to 9:30 Tuesday day evening and 3 to 4 and 8 to 9:30 Saturday.

Junior B, 4 to 5 Tuesday and 3 to 4 Saturday afternoons.

Intermediate Leaders, 7 to 8 Wednesday evening.

Junior Leaders, 2:30 to 3, Saturday afternoon.

B. S. of America, 7 to 8 Friday evening.

Brown's Business College, 7 to 8 Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

H. Y. Club, 6:15 to 7:30 Wednesday evening.

WITH THE SICK

Fred McDougall and John Fierke have both been ill with influenza and have been kept from the McDougall blacksmith and woodwork shop. In their absence A. W. Becker is running the establishment.

TO DISCUSS LIVE STOCK INTERESTS

G. B. Kendall, county agent, has arranged for a meeting of club members Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the court house. The meeting has been planned to increase the interests in pure bred livestock and while it is primarily for club members, farmers generally are invited and members of the club are urged to bring their neighbors and friends. A group of interesting speakers will be present, including a professor of extension work in animal husbandry, a sheep man, a pig club specialist and a poultry man.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH ROLL CALL

Members of the Congregational church are reminded of the roll call this evening. It is earnestly desired that every resident member be present to answer to his or her name with a quotation. Letters from absent members will be read and the meeting promises to be one of much interest.

WILL MEET TODAY

The Women's Central Christian church will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock to sew for the Red Cross. Every member is urged to be present.

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The dance of passion! The Broadway revel! The banquet of death! And a woman's struggle for love!
THEDA BARA
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All Deposits
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BRICK CHILI....
Genuine Mexican chili, made in brick form, ready for use by simply adding hot water—They all say, "It's great."
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Fresh Ward Cakes at 15c each.
New York Sweet Cider at 50c gallon.
Try a package of "Libby's Condensed Pie Apple" for apple pies. This package contains apples with sugar and spices. Just received fresh shipment of 2 lb. tins Plum Pudding. Try a can for one of your Christmas gifts.
We also have a new line of Dates, Figs, Candied Cherries, Candied Pineapple, Rice Pop Corn, Light Table Syrups, etc.
SPECIAL ROASTED JUMBO PEANUTS at 20c lb.

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Bring your Motorcycle or Bicycle repair work, of any kind, to us. Our repair man, Mr. Bates, can tell you all about your needs and will do the work promptly and satisfactorily.


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CITY AND COUNTY

Clyde Sturdy of Lynnville was a city caller yesterday.

W. W. Young was down to the city from Litterberry yesterday.

Richard Butler of Woodson was a traveler to the city yesterday.

We are working very hard to catch up with the multitude of jobs left over from the Christmas time. We will have them straightened out as soon as possible.

Russell & Thompson

West Side
Square

James Butler helped represent Woodson in the city yesterday.

L. B. Ramsey was a city traveler from Murrayville yesterday.

W. E. Norman of Litterberry paid the city a visit yesterday.

George Bolton was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

William Holscher was up to the city from Mededosa yesterday.

I. D. Sheppard of Woodson precinct was a city visitor yesterday.

Samuel Pevy helped represent Litterberry in the city yesterday.

Edward Collins traveled from Prentice to the city yesterday.

P. J. Crotty of Woodson precinct was a city caller yesterday.

Cloyd Smith was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

Mrs. J. L. Seymour was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

David Tignor of Prentice was down to the city yesterday.

J. W. Fitzsimmons of Shiloh was down to the city yesterday.

K. Green was down to the city from Prentice yesterday.

C. M. Strawn arrived in the city from Alexander yesterday.

Harold Joy helped represent Joy Prairie in the city yesterday.

Henry Anderson traveled from Scottville to the city yesterday.

Walker Thomas of Macomb was a caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Mahel Cox of Murrayville was a city caller yesterday.

Charles Potter helped represent Lynnville in the city yesterday.

Clyde McAllister of Meredosa was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

H. W. Horstmeier of Carlyle was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

C. J. Klauer of Liberty was called to the city on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Strandberg and daughter of Alexander were Tuesday shoppers in the city.

H. V. Schoonover of Bishop

was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

Joe A. Wade was here from Griggsville yesterday attending to business matters.

R. M. Harris of Champaign visited business men in the city yesterday.

M. E. Browne of Galesburg is in the city for a few days looking after business matters.

F. J. Lanketter of Fostoria was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

S. A. Beall of Atlanta was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Lulu Bell and daughter of Bushnell were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

G. V. Hearn of Marion was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Newton Nix of Ashland was looking after affairs in the city yesterday.

M. Vanwinkle of Waverly was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Long of Prentice was one of the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Anderson Squires of Meredosa was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Miss Sallie Cockin of Alexander was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Heath and daughter Mildred were city callers from Virginia yesterday.

Ernest Walbaum of Pleasant Plains was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Austin Weakley of Prentice was a city shopper yesterday.

John Erickson of the vicinity of Alexander was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Austin Patterson of Ebenezer district was a city arrival yesterday.

George Naulty of the vicinity of Berea visited city people yesterday.

George, Coy, Amas and Arthur Swain were all down to the city from Sinclair yesterday.

Frank Green of Strawn's Crossing was a city caller yesterday.

David Means of Sinclair precinct was a visitor in town yesterday.

Mrs. H. L. Hanks and daughter of White Hall were city shoppers yesterday.

Charles Curtis of the north part of the county was among the callers in town yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Hazenstab, the deaf preacher, was a visitor with Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Ridder of Alexander was among the city shoppers yesterday.

James Bowers of Buckhorn vicinity was among the city's callers yesterday.

Walter Smith and son were up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

William Zahn was a traveler from Concord to the city yesterday.

Grover Smith of Chapin was among the visitors in town yesterday.

Henry Naylor residing between Meredosa and Arenzville, was a traveler to the city yesterday.

David Giger of the vicinity of Arenzville traveled to the city yesterday.

Clarence Lukeman and Harry

Norris attended the Clark Green sale yesterday.

Mrs. J. G. Drennan and son, Neal were travelers from Manchester to the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Sturdy was a city shopper from Lynnville yesterday.

Mrs. Melvin Watt of White Hall was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ora Holman of the north-east part of the county visited the city yesterday.

W. W. Carter of the south part of the county traveled to the city yesterday.

H. W. Davis of Griggsville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Albert G. Richardson and wife of the vicinity of the Point were city shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. Ora Holman of Prentice was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Clifton Corrington of the region of New Berlin visited the city yesterday.

J. M. Shelton of the south part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Fred Baucum of the north part of the county traveled to the city yesterday.

M. D. Nicholas of the vicinity of Litterberry was a caller on city people yesterday.

J. W. Shibe of the north part of the county visited friends and relatives in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Heath of Virginia was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.

W. A. Bridgman of the north-west part of the county traveled to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell of Ashland were travelers to the city yesterday.

E. L. Rexroat of the vicinity of Arcadia was a caller on city people yesterday.

Wal Mason of Sinclair was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mrs. Luther Wiley of Alexander was one of the city shoppers yesterday.

Miss Minnie Rexroat of Virginia visited the county seat of Morgan yesterday.

Gilman Squires of Meredosa was among the travelers to the city yesterday.

Dan Cowgour of Sinclair precinct was a city visitor yesterday.

S. W. Henry is at home from Camp Grant where he has been for some time.

Oscar Pevy of Litterberry was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Oral Rexroat and wife were down to the city from Arcadia yesterday.

Albert Chapman was a city caller from the northeast part of the county yesterday.

M. A. Hulett of the vicinity of Arnold was a caller in the city yesterday.

Fred Killam and wife of the region of the mouth were travelers to the city yesterday.

Mrs. B. K. Darling and son Julius were down to the city from Virginia yesterday.

Mrs. A. A. Curry who has been suffering with an attack of the flu is much better.

W. E. Bonding of Concord was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

H. H. Hansmeier of the vicinity of Concord was a city caller yesterday.

Samuel Challiner of Joy Prairie was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Edward Patterson of the north-west part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. L. Cross helped represent Prairie City in Jacksonville yesterday.

H. T. Duncan of Manchester was a city caller yesterday.

He was one of the Illinois college S. A. T. C. until discharged.

Mrs. C. C. Berryman has gone to Rock Island to be with her daughter, Mrs. M. W. Hodgson who is a sufferer with the flu.

Mrs. John W. Leach of the southwest part of the county, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. T. O. Graves of this city.

Ausco Lloyd of the northwest part of the county visited his wife yesterday, a patient at Passavant hospital.

George Hall, the capable volunteer weather observer of Alexander was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Leavitt Clark and Mrs. Paul Furr of the vicinity of New Berlin were among the city arrivals yesterday.

Dr. E. Wagoner Eustice has returned to her home in the Cherry Apartments after a two weeks' visit in Des Moines.

Miss Florence Taylor of 1040 West College avenue expects to leave this evening for a stay of several months at Asheville, North Carolina.

Mrs. Sarah Huntington has arrived in the city from Oregon and will spend several weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Floreth, at 523 West College avenue.

Mrs. William Huffman, formerly a resident of this city and now of Rockford, is here for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Abe Wood of 363 West College street.

Henry S. Stevenson expected to start today for Hot Springs for a sojourn of several weeks. It is a favorite resort of the gentleman who finds there much to add him in his search for health.

Frank Wigginjost of Pisgah neighborhood was in the city yesterday preparing for his trip to Lincoln, Nebraska as already stated.

Mrs. William Megginson has returned to her home in Beards-town after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Vasey of Woodson precinct.

P. B. Barbree is here for a short stay with the Douglas hotel management. He finds affairs in a satisfactory condition and moving along all right.

HERE IS A TRUE TALE OF VALUE OF THRIFT

Well Known Citizen Tells How He Made Five Cents Grow Into \$1140

—Taylor Henderson Starts with That Capital and Runs it to Above Figure By His Twenty-first Birthday.

How five cents grew into \$1140 was graphically told to a coterie of friends yesterday by Taylor Henderson, who didn't suppose the story would be repeated, and as it is given from memory may not be wholly correct, but it is substantially as follows:

"My first capital in life was five cents. I was going to school one morning and my dog ran a rabbit into a hollow log. I got a forked stick, thrust it into the log, twisted it into the rabbit's fur and drew it out and took the rabbit to Arcadia and sold it for five cents, and I felt myself a capitalist at once—in fact, prouder than I would be today at making \$1,000. I put my nickel aside and waited for an accumulation. Not long after another boy and I caught a rabbit and he bought me out with a pistol with the main spring gone. However, I put it along with the nickel and waited for developments.

Began with One Sow

"Shortly after that a man had a sow which was very thin from lack of food and going along by a brook one time I found the poor creature stuck in the mud, unable to get out. I got a pole and another boy and with considerable effort we released the animal and brought her on terra firma. The man was pleased and wanted to know what I would give him for the animal. I offered him the nickel and the pistol and he accepted the offer. I drove her home made a pen of sticks of wood and my father let me have something to feed her. When my mother would wash I would take the suds and wash my purchase until I had her clean and sleek and improving.

"Finally when she was fat enough I sold her for \$12, and that I invested in a calf. This animal grew into a steer which I sold for \$36. Then my ideas grew and I wanted a yoke of calves. My uncle had two calves and I asked him what he would take for them. He wanted \$20, which seemed to me rather a high price, but my father had one of the same kind, for which he wanted \$12, so I concluded to invest. My uncle insisted on my taking both of his, which I did on condition that he would make me a yoke for them. He said I would have to bring him a piece of Lynn wood which I did, and on one side he put the word 'Buck' and on the other side 'Bury' for the names of the two calves.

"I had the third calf and wanted a mate for him, but had no money. One day I was going along by my Uncle Billy's house when I looked over into the barnyard and saw him spattered and angry, and he would have been swearing if he had been that kind of man. He had a cow that was a kicker and he had on his Sunday clothes, and she had kicked the milk all over him. He was furious and wanted me to buy the cow. I asked him what he would take. He said the price was \$25. I said I would take her and pay for her when I could and led her home.

Another Purchase

"My father did not exactly approve of what I had done but wanted me to learn to trade. A man in the neighborhood wanted a cow and so I told him I had one for sale. He came and looked her over and liked her all right. I told him of her fault but he said he would take care of that, and wanted to know what I would take for her. He had a calf that would just exactly match my own calf so I told him I would sell her for \$25 and his I would take. The trade was made and I had two yokes of calves. Many an hour we boys played with those calves. We would yoke them and pull a stick of wood and do a great many things and it was great fun. But my little accumulation was growing and my ideas with it.

"Finally a neighbor of ours had a cow that produced white twin calves with black ears and noses. I did want those calves worse than anything. Finally I contrived by diligent effort to get them, together with a yoke, and then I had three yokes. We would run grape vines thru the rings of all three of them, hook up to a stick of wood and do almost everything with them. Finally I concluded I had stock enough. Then I went to work raising my steers and making them fine animals. And when they were at their height and ready for the market I sold them for \$750. That money I put at interest and in those days it was 10 per cent, and when I was of age I had \$1140.

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LITERBERRY CHURCH RESUMES SERVICES

Services at Baptist Church Sunday Well Attended—J. M. Litter Aids Litter Sufferers—Mrs. W. W. Young Hears from Nephew in France—Other News Notes.

Litterberry, Jan. 7.—The Baptist people have opened their church again and there were 38 persons at Sunday school on Sunday morning. There will be preaching next Sunday at the usual hour by Rev. Mr. Smith of Greenfield.

Mr. Johnson of East Litterberry was out on Sunday afternoon with a team and a big sled taking the young people of Litterberry sleigh riding.

Miss Margaret Chapman, the primary teacher of Litterberry college, visited in Jacksonville Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Edith Yancy of Sinclair is spending a week with her sister Mrs. Etta Young.

Mrs. W. W. Young has received a letter from her nephew, George Norman, who is in France. He also sent some clippings from the papers of that country which tell of the suffering of their people during the war. Mr. Norman does not know when he will get home, but thinks he will be called on to go to Germany before being discharged.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Daniels entertained at a New Year's dinner the following persons: Mrs. Mary Beavers, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Litter and baby Eleanor May, Mr. James Robert, Miss Louise Ray, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Litter, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Litter. This was a very enjoyable affair.

Some of the Litterberry people are killing hogs this week and there is some fine sausage being made. We are under obligations to Jesse Litter for for sausage, which was of excellent quality.

The busiest man in our town for the last month, is J. M. Litter. During the epidemic of the flu Mr. Litter was on the go almost continually. He carried food for the sick, for horses, pigs, chickens and also carried mail. We are glad that Mr. Litter is getting a well deserved rest. It is pleasant to know such a man and more so to have him for a neighbor.

ALEXANDER

Mrs. J. T. Little left last night for Michigan City, Ind., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Hazelwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ewen of Beards-town are here for a visit of several days with Mr. Ewen's father, Clayton Ewen, and

ville. Mr. and Mrs. James Holmes of near Orleans were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

Clyde Richardson of Orleans spent some time in Jacksonville Tuesday.

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**SENDING U. S. TROOPS
TO RUSSIA CRITICISED
BY SEN. LAFOLLETTE**

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fought. American blood is being shed. Russians are being killed on Russian soil. Apparently, from press dispatches desperate fighting is going on continually."

News Kept from Public
Senator LaFollette said the information given regarding the Bolshevik government by Edgley Sisson of the committee on public information was covered "by the slime of obfuscation with fraud and forgery plainly manifest."

Senator Swanson in reply reiterated that the allies and American forces seized Archangel to prevent its becoming an important German submarine base and said that the fact that the Bolsheviks opposed the allied operations, proved they were unfriendly.

Senator Kenyon said the danger of Archangel becoming a German submarine base is now past and asked why the troops were not withdrawn.

"The war is not over," began Senator Swanson, "but he was interrupted by Senator Thomas of Colorado, Democrat, who said enormous supplies are at Archangel and along the Murman coast which the allies must protect."

Senator Swanson said that the Bolsheviks have been responsible for most of the fighting as they had tried to drive the allied forces from Archangel, and he added that he thought the government was right in sending troops to Russia.

Senator Kirby of Arkansas, Democrat, declared that the allied troops in Russia were hopelessly outnumbered and that they either should be reinforced or withdrawn.

People Demand Information
A similar opinion was expressed by Senator Kenyon of Iowa, Republican, who added:

"The people of the country are going to get information as to why our troops are in Russia and the senate is not going to permit the burial in committee of any resolution calling for this information. The mothers of these boys are going to be heard from."

The Iowa senator said he had made repeated efforts to obtain information from the war department regarding the troops in Russia, but without success because, "the cables are too congested with important matters, including descriptions of women's dresses" in connection with the president's visit abroad.

Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee had planned to discuss the Russian situation in congress today, but was prevented by the rush of other business and plans to speak Thursday.

**FIND WOMAN IN
DAZED CONDITION**

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 7.—Mrs. J. D. Saum became separated from her sister while shopping with her in one of Chicago's large stores and "went out to look for her on the streets."

When police took her in charge at the postoffice here yesterday she insisted she still was in Chicago, and merely had entered the postoffice to rest as she grew tired walking around looking after her sister.

Mrs. Saum who is about 50 years old has no recollection of coming to Des Moines. Her home, she said, is in Denver, but she had been in Chicago with two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Handley, 352 North Springfield avenue, and Mrs. Laura Blaney. A brother, Mr. Hoew, lives in Mason City, Ia., she said.

The police are trying to communicate with her relatives.

WILL HAVE TWO DELEGATES

Paris, Jan. 7.—It seems to be decided, says the Temps today, that Greece and Serbia, the latter merged with the Serbian-Croatian-Slovenian kingdom, will each have two delegates at the peace conference. Premier Venizelos and Nicholas Politis, the foreign minister, will represent Greece, while the Jugo-Slav delegates will be Nicola Pachitch, the Serbian premier, and M. Trumbic, the president of the Jugo-Slav committee in Paris.

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The great number of unsolicited testimonials on file at the Pinkham Laboratory, many of which are from time to time published by permission, are proof of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, in the treatment of female ills.

Every ailing woman in the United States is cordially invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free, ready to bring you health and may save you

BULLETINS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 7.—

An increase of 30 per cent for steam heating service today was granted to the Central Illinois public service company of Mattoon by the public utilities' commission.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Baron Michaelis, formerly a member of the firm of Herbert Stern and Co., in London and Paris, died in London today. His death was due to pneumonia. He was well known as a philanthropist.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—British Wireless Service.—Premier Lloyd George will leave for Paris Saturday morning accompanied by the British plenipotentiaries to the peace conference.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Count F. Miniscalchi-Erizzo, charge of the Italian embassy, died today from pneumonia, which followed an attack of influenza. No arrangements for the funeral have been made.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Jan. 7.—The government administration building housing all of the offices connected with the port of embarkation and debarkation of troops is on fire and is said to be doomed. It covers an entire city block and is a frame structure. All available fire apparatus has been called out.

**132 AMERICANS
LOST IN RUSSIA**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Total deaths among the American expeditionary forces in northern Russia to January 4 were given as six officers and 126 men in a cablegram received at the war department today from Colonel James A. Ruggles, American military attaché with Ambassador Francis at Archangel.

The casualties were given as follows:

Killed in action and died of wounds, 3 officers and 57 men.
Died of disease, 2 officers and 63 men.

Accidentally killed, 4 enlisted men.

Drowned, 1 officer and 2 men.
Missing in action, 16 enlisted men.

Wounded in action, 159.

Accidentally wounded, 15.

Colonel Ruggles said the equipment of the troops was complete, the health of the troops excellent and the morale very good. Food conditions were described as very good, the greatest defect being lack of fresh vegetables.

Colonel Ruggles' cablegram was in reply to specific questions sent by the war department as the result of statements that the troops in Northern Russia were inadequately equipped for the rigors of the Russian winter.

**PEACE CONFERENCE
WILL LAST 3 MONTHS**

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The preliminary peace conference is likely to last three months, according to Marcel Hutin, in the Echo De Paris.

"At the end of the second month, that is to say the beginning of March," he says, "after complete agreement between the great entente powers the treaty will be ready for submission to the enemy plenipotentiaries for their signatures. Representatives of all the enemy countries will be invited to come to Paris to learn the allied conditions and will have a reasonable time—about one month—in which to refer it to their governments."

"The preliminary treaty will contain, first a clause by which the entente accepts a league of nations; second, the amount of indemnity payable by Germany and the methods of payment, and, third, a definition of the new frontiers."

"These are the principal chapters. The preliminary discussions promise to be intricate and it would not be astonishing if the deliberations are long because they will deal with the entire map of Europe and will evolve the clauses of a definite peace treaty."

**M'ADOO LEAVES
FOR WESTERN HOME**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—This was William G. McAdoo's last day in Washington as director-general of the railroads. He planned to leave tonight for Santa Barbara, Calif., for a vacation of several months.

Owing to President Wilson's delay in naming a new director, Mr. McAdoo will continue to supervise the railroads.

The impression is growing in Washington that the president may not appoint a new director general until he returns to the United States next month, watching meanwhile the reception by congress of the proposal to extend government control for five years.

ACT CONSTITUTIONAL

Washington, Jan. 7.—Constitutionality of the Missouri grain inspection act of 1913 was today upheld by the supreme court in making permanent injunctions restraining the merchants exchange of St. Louis from weighing and inspecting grain.

WILL RAISE HOTEL RATES

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Rates in Illinois hotels outside of Chicago will be increased on a basis of 25 cents a day per room, it was announced today, as the result of a decision reached at the eighteenth annual meeting of the Illinois Hotel association in session here.

REVENUE COLLECTIONS

Washington, Jan. 7.—Internal revenue tax collections for five months between July 1, and Dec. 1, 1918, amounted to \$521,597,000, the treasury reported today. Of this amount, \$116,892,000 came from whiskey and other spirits, \$75,998,000 from tobacco and \$24,179,000 from beer and other fermented liquors.

**OYSTER BAY IN DEEP
MOURNING OVER DEATH
OF COL. ROOSEVELT**

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talked with Captain Roosevelt extending personal sympathy and said he would attend the funeral tomorrow.

Simple Ceremony
Theodore Roosevelt's own wish that he be buried with only simple ceremony will be fulfilled. There may be a national memorial service at Washington or New York in the near future but there will be no military honors paid to the dead president at the funeral services here tomorrow.

Army aviators may drop flowers and wreaths at Young's Memorial cemetery just as they did today upon the Roosevelt home on Sagamore Hill. But except for the presence of United States senators and representatives and perhaps small committees representing the governors of New York and several other states only the townspeople of Oyster Bay—"Teddy's" neighbors, who loved him in life—the members of the Roosevelt family and a limited number of close friends will assemble in Christ church to hear the simple Episcopal service. There probably will be less than 400 in all. No eulogy will be said by the officiating clergyman, the Rev. George E. Talmage, and there will be no formal music.

Plans Roosevelt's Own Desire
The announcement that it was Colonel Roosevelt's own desire that the funeral be a plain one was made today by Captain Archibald B. Roosevelt, twenty-sixth infantry, U. S. A., one of the former president's sons, at the Sagamore Hill homestead. This statement indicated that at a later date there may be held, perhaps in New York, perhaps in Washington, memorial services at which the people of this country which loved the name Roosevelt will have an opportunity "to express their love and admiration."

"In behalf of all the fame of Col. Roosevelt," Captain Roosevelt said, "I wish to explain how greatly we appreciate the efforts to do honor to the ex-president and to show sympathy for his family."

"It had been Mr. Roosevelt's wish, and his wish coincided with that of the family, that he be buried with as simple ceremony as possible in Oyster Bay—the place where he had so long and happily lived. It was his wish that the services at the church be attended only by his intimate friends and relatives."

"Some intimations have been made that the country may demand a joint memorial service. If that takes place it will give all parts of the country the opportunity to express their love and admiration for Col. Roosevelt."

The casket in which Col. Roosevelt will be buried is of plain oak with three silver handles on either side. On its face is a simple plate of silver with this inscription:

"Theodore Roosevelt, Oct. 27, 1858; Jan. 6, 1919."
No Honorary Bearers
There will be no honorary pall bearers.

Today was a quiet one at the beautiful hill top residence where Theodore Roosevelt spent so many years of his life. He and his wife, Mrs. Roosevelt, slept well during the night. She arose late and breakfasted, and surrounded by her children she read many of the hundreds of messages which, coming over the cable and telegraph wires from all parts of the world, arrived here all night long and all day today.

The words of sympathy and tribute were written by rulers, ambassadors and ministers, statesmen, politicians, clergymen—by men and women in all walks of public and private life.

President Wilson cabled from Europe: "Pray accept my heartfelt sympathy on the death of your distinguished husband, the news of which has shocked me very much."

King George of England cabled: "The queen and I have heard with feelings of deep regret of the death of your distinguished husband and we offer you our sincere sympathy in your irreparable loss. We had a personal regard for him and we always enjoyed meeting him. He will be missed by many friends in this country." Through the day army aviators from the flying field at Mineola, circled above Sagamore Hill. The airmen tossed out flowers and wreaths which fell upon the house where the former president lies dead and into the garden in which he was wont to walk.

This afternoon a plaster mask was taken of the former president's face.

PIONEER ILLINOIAN DEAD

Pana, Ill., Jan. 7.—Lemuel Parsons, who founded the town of Rosemond, near here, in 1860, died there today at the age of 94 years. He is survived by his widow and four daughters.

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**DEATH OF ROOSEVELT
MOURNED BY JAPAN**

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—In the death of Theodore Roosevelt, Japan will mourn the loss of "a very real and loyal friend," Baron Makino, ambassador with the Japanese peace mission declared at a dinner given in his honor by the Japanese club.

Speaking in his native tongue to a large gathering of his countrymen, including the official party with whom he will sail tomorrow for London on the Carmania, on the way to Paris, Baron Makino said that both his presidency and since President Roosevelt had rendered valuable service to Japan. Mr. Roosevelt's attitude as president, he said, had an important effect upon the settlement of the issues raised by the Russo-Japanese war and upon the amicable adjustment of international difficulties growing out of California's action regarding Japanese residents.

**GERMAN PROPAGANDA
INVESTIGATION**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Evidence designed to show that Francisco Villa, the Mexican bandit leader received \$380,000 worth of munitions paid for by a German agent thru the Mississippi Valley Trust Company of St. Louis in 1915, was presented today to the senate committee investigating German propaganda by Major E. Lowry Humes, in charge of the investigation.

Major Humes said the money was sent by F. A. Sommerfeld, now interned as an enemy alien who received credit to that extent from the St. Louis bank thru the Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

**BIG INTERNAL WATER
SYSTEM ADVOCATED**

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 7.—Advocating a great internal water system extending from the mouth of the Mississippi to the mouth of the Hudson River and to the Atlantic ocean thru a one hundred mile canal connecting Lake Erie and the Ohio River several hundred delegates met here today at the opening session of the Mississippi-to-Atlantic internal waterways convention. The meeting will continue tomorrow.

Among the delegates were Henry Ford, William A. McCorkle, former governor of West Virginia; Charles N. Chadwick of New York, and George Parsons, mayor of Cairo, Ill.

**FORMER ITALIAN PREMIER
CONFERES WITH WILSON**

Rome, Jan. 7.—President Wilson during his visit here received Former Premier Salandra and Leonida Bissolati (who recently resigned from the Italian cabinet because of differences with other members as to what Italy's claims were to be before the peace conference.) Signor Bissolati has been a consistent supporter of the idea of a league of nations.

**(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)
Report of the condition of
THE FARMERS' STATE BANK
& TRUST COMPANY**

located at Jacksonville, State of Illinois, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1918, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES
Loans and Discounts.....\$312,480.89
Overdrafts.....413.50
Securities.....83,300.00
Banking House.....20,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....7,600.00
Real Estate other than Banking House.....5,625.00
Cash and Due from Banks.....129,345.21
Other Resources.....2,872.17
Total Resources.....\$606,107.07

LIABILITIES
Capital Stock Paid in.....\$100,000.00
Undivided Profits (net).....4,300.00
Deposits:
Demand.....16,023.77
All other deposits.....484,783.30
Total Liabilities.....\$606,107.07

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If the small private garage is to be used during the winter, any car owner of experience will understand the necessity of heating it. The cold garage causes many ills besides the obvious one of freezing up the radiator of the car. In most cases it will cause more than enough damage and inconvenience fully to have paid for a complete heating plant.

Most of the starting trouble so generally complained of in winter may be traced back to the cold garage. A sudden drop in temperature is bad for the parts of the engine and for the finish of the body, which are susceptible to marked expansion and contraction through changes in temperature. During the long nights of winter great drops often occur and a garage that is unheated subjects the car to unnecessary and dangerous tests.

Ice in the batteries is another recognized evil resulting from the cold garage. Also there is the inconvenience of washing when the car is covered with frozen mud. If the car is cleaned with warm water to remove the mud and the garage is cold, the paint and varnish are apt to suffer serious damage, says a writer in Motor.

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DEATH OF GRADY IS CONFIRMED

Sergeant Trout Writes to Charles Grady—Killed in Argonne Drive.

Charles Grady of 321 East Morgan street recently wrote to France to get confirmation of the death of his brother Harry Grady. His death was officially reported by the government but later a letter received here from another soldier in France mentioned seeing Harry Grady after the date on which he was reported killed. This letter removes all doubt as to Grady's death as it states he was killed by machine gun fire on September 28.

The letter follows: Headquarters Co. B. 11th Inf. American Expeditionary Forces December 5, 1918.

Dear Sir: In compliance to your letter dated Nov. 12, 1918, I will answer it to the best of my knowledge.

1. Harry Grady was killed in action on Sept. 28, by machine gun fire.

2. Harry Grady, while doing his duty, which duty means that he was in the first line on Sept. 28, advancing upon the enemy, when enemy machine gun opened fire on us and we all dropped to the ground face down. When the smoke cleared away we discovered that Private Grady was dead.

3. Upon investigation it was found he was shot several times thru the helmet and which caused instantaneous death.

4. Private Harry Grady was a very good soldier while with this company and did his duty well as a soldier fighting for Liberty would have done, and he was also well liked by his comrades, who fought at his side.

5. He was killed in the great Argonne drive. We were the first unit to start the drive off and remained in the battle for seventeen days. Harry lost his life on the second day and therefore did not suffer the tortures of war as did some of the men who were

killed on the last day. He was in several battles before the Argonne and credited himself very good. He was buried by a detail from his company and under the circumstances he had a very good burial.

7. If there is anything that I have omitted in this letter which you would like to know I would be glad to answer it.

G. A. Trout, First Sergeant, Co. B. 112 Inf.

AT THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Yesterday was a busy day with the good ladies of the Congregational church. They met in the morning and sewed for refugees and took home garments to be made for the needy ones. A goodly amount of work was done and the usual generous spirit was manifested.

Lunch was enjoyed in a picnic fashion and then came the meeting of Woman's Home Missionary society. At this time Mrs. Lippincott read a paper on home mission work in the northwest telling of what is being accomplished in Nebraska, Minnesota, Dakotas and elsewhere in that part of the country. A collection was also taken. This meeting was somewhat shortened to give place to the annual meeting of the ladies' aid society. At this meeting general reports of what has been accomplished were given and all showed that the ladies have been doing something. The reports were given in detail at the annual meeting, the principal work the past year being the renovation of the parsonage at a cost of more than \$500.

Election followed with the following result:

President—Miss Maria Fairbank.

Vice-President and Secretary—Mrs. George E. Myers.

Treasurer—Mrs. D. B. Hutchinson.

JUDGE CHIPERFIELD A VISITOR HERE

Judge Claude E. Chipperfield of Canton was in Jacksonville yesterday to call upon a number of local Republicans. Judge Chipperfield is a candidate for nomination for the supreme court to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Justice George W. Cooke of Aledo. Judge Chipperfield is a well known attorney in his home county with an extensive practice. He has a law partnership with his brother, B. M. Chipperfield, who is judge advocate of the U. S. army and in service overseas. The Jacksonville visitor met most of the members of the bar while here. He is accounted as a very formidable candidate for the honor he is seeking.

COMING HOME SOON

Sergeant William Newman, Jr., who has been overseas for the past several months, is expected home at any time, according to a message received by Mrs. Newman. The letter indicated that the company of which Sgt. Newman is a member had received orders for early embarkation but thus far no definite information has appeared in the newspaper dispatches.

Mrs. Harry Hadden, who was recently married in Jacksonville, Fla., has returned and is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gibbs. Her husband is in the quartermaster's division of the army and Mrs. Hadden expects to remain in Jacksonville until his release from the service.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wondray for kidney and bladder troubles, diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment and often cures. Send for sworn seven testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 222 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists—Adv.

PLAN TO BUILD HERE THIS SPRING

Removal of Ban on Materials Will Make Possible Coming of Eli Bridge Company.

There have been many inquiries lately as to the status of the Eli Bridge Co. plant which is to be removed to this city from Roodhouse. More than a year ago the business men of Jacksonville made a proposition to the company with reference to a site here, which was accepted by the company and preliminary arrangements for removal made. Then came the government order which prevented the company from securing the needed materials for building the plant here, which was to be on a site near the Wash station.

Recently, Henry Frisch, who is identified with the company, which arranged to deal with W. E. Sullivan, president of the Eli Bridge company, said that the plan now is for the new plant to be built here in the early summer. Mr. Sullivan and his associates made a definite contract with the Jacksonville men and have desired to carry it out but provisions made this impossible. Mr. Sullivan recently gave assurance of his intention to remove the plant here just as speedily as possible. The business of the company has grown steadily thru the years and it is confidently expected that the development will be even more rapid when the Jacksonville location becomes a reality.

THE NEW ERA MOVEMENT

Dr. E. B. Landis was in Springfield Tuesday to attend a committee conference on the New Era movement. It is the intention to use the Home Mission organization for the furtherance of the New Era movement and Dr. Landis is a member of the permanent committee on missions. The general plans for the work were discussed and it was announced that Rev. Marion Humphreys, pastor at large, will visit within two or three weeks each church in the presbytery. He will explain in detail what the New Era work contemplates and will show a chart outlining the work. He will also give some particulars about the general New Era conference to be held in Chicago Feb. 11 and 12.

It was also announced that subsequent to the Chicago conference that conferences in this presbytery will be held in Decatur, Springfield and Jacksonville so that those who were not able to attend the Chicago meeting may come into a more intimate knowledge of what is proposed.

The New Era movement proposes awakened activities all along the line and it will include, in addition to ministers and laymen the women of the missionary organizations. Altogether the movement in its nation-wide phases is one of vast importance to the Presbyterian church and the religious world.

IN NEW WORK

Mrs. W. S. Jones recently resigned her position on the Courier staff and is now in the office of Straun and Spink. Mrs. Jones will have charge of some special lines of work.

PRAYER MEETING AT STATE STREET CHURCH

Regular prayer service will be held at State Street Presbyterian church this evening at 7:30 o'clock in charge of Dr. F. M. Rule. A large attendance of members is desired.

KEEP OFF THE GRASS

For a long time the request to stay off the grass in central park was respected but of late, especially in the southeast part there seems to be a willingness to trespass. The grass was started in the park at great expense and with much labor and it should be let alone and not be trampled on by thoughtless pedestrians.

RESUMES POSITION

Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton have removed from a farm west of the city to 831 West Lafayette avenue. Mr. Middleton will resume his position as representative in Southern Illinois for the National Livestock Remedy Company. He has been very successful in this work.

ON FEDERAL JURY

George Ball of this city, who is a member of the federal grand jury in session in Springfield, has been chosen as foreman. H. Shade of Lexington was named clerk.

FUNERAL OF MRS. LASHMET

The funeral of Mrs. Luther Lashmet will be held from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Leck, 719 West North street at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

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"You have saved us and the world," says Cardinal Mercier, of Belgium, in a message to the United States. No higher tribute could be paid to this country than such a compliment from the undaunted churchman and patriot who dared to challenge and rebuke German autocracy at the moment when it seemed invincible and who continued to denounce it to its face thru every hour of the war.

Speaking of Cardinal Mercier, the Baltimore Sun says:

"Cardinal Mercier is one of the great figures of this conflict. Neither fear, flattery, self-interest nor ecclesiastical considerations and influences could keep him silent or soften his righteous wrath. He has been a thorn in the side of German imperialism from the moment it set foot on Belgian soil. His burning and uncompromising patriotism contributed largely to maintaining Belgium's heroic spirit, to preserving the morale of the Belgian people during the long and apparently endless night of German domination. He as well as King Albert deserves a monument from Belgium. No weakling or pacifist he, but a member of the church militant, a born fighter who delights in doing battle with evil, and who has a brave man's scorn for the meanness and cowardice of tyranny, whether it masquerades as kaiser or communist."

Napoleon ran up against a pope whose anathema was followed by a disaster to the would-be conqueror. Emperor William encountered in Belgium a cardinal who opposed him like some prophet of old, and who branded him as the enemy of God and man.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSTALL

Good Work Done by the Order and Plans for Greater Usefulness and Efforts.

The Knights of Columbus recently installed the following officers at their hall on East State street. The order is in a flourishing condition in this city and is striving for still greater usefulness in the future.

Grand Knight—Thomas Duffner.

Deputy Knight—James Magner.

Financial Secretary—John J. Ferry.

Recording Secretary—John Johnson.

Treasurer—Otto Schumm.

Chancellor—John H. O'Donnell.

Warden—Joseph Oliverson.

Advocate—M. J. Crowe.

Lecturer—Rev. Father Cahill.

Chaplain—Rev. Father Sloan.

Trustees—James McBride, William Gorman, Theodore Hagel.

Inner Guard—Philip Gorman.

Outer Guard—John McGinnis.

A campaign for new members is shortly to be inaugurated and many additions to the worthy order are expected.

From this body 129 young men went into the service of their country, the number being about 25 per cent of the total membership.

In the various patriotic activities the order has been 100 per cent among other have bought more than \$10,000 worth of War Savings Stamps.

During the coming months it is the expectation to have a number of addresses, some of them eminent men from a distance.

Sunday, Jan. 19th, is to be memorial day when at the hall there will be appropriate services in memory of the five young men of the local body who lost their lives in the service.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor of 1040 West College avenue is recovering from the effects of a fall sustained on the icy sidewalks a few days since.

Fred Mayer, who was a member of the S. A. T. C. at Illinois college, left yesterday for Kansas City. He will resume his position there in the chemical department of the Peet Manufacturing company. The position had been held open for him during his absence here as he left the company's employment with a fine record.

George Collins and son, Paul of Winchester, returned home last Monday after spending a few days at the home of George Coulson.

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A MESSAGE FROM GERMANY

Text of Interesting Document Issued for American Officers By German Prison Commandant Sent By Fred Bray.

Fred Bray, one of the Illinois college students who has been in the army service almost from the beginning, and overseas for more than a year, recently sent back a very interesting document. It was the text of a farewell talk which the German commander made to American officers who had been held as prisoners of war in Germany. The address was sent with a letter to Pres. C. H. Rammelkamp of Illinois college and some paragraphs are given herewith. They indeed throw an interesting light upon the situation in Germany.

Text of Address.

The last words of the Commandant of the Gefangenen Lager in Villingen, Baden, Germany to the American officers on their departure to France, on Tuesday, November 26, 1918:

"Sonar than you expected your day of liberation has arrived. In a short time you will be back again with your dear people in America. Tell them that the German people have no more grievance against them. It doesn't consider itself as conquered but conquering—as you can see by the troops returning from the front—because it has now its own liberty. Now it is your turn to give the German people a just peace in the peace terms which will give them the liberty to live justly and peacefully with the world at large, and which will leave no hate to again disturb the peace of the world."

"We hope that you will reach your home safely, and find everyone in good health."

"I again request you not to part from Germany with hatred against us, and to influence your people to look upon Germany as it is, now, not as it has been judged—perhaps justly—up to the present time. The new Germany has the desire to live in perfect peace with its recent thirty enemies but in the same manner claims an honorable peace which will give her the possibility to live again as promised by President Wilson."

"Again, Happy returns home."

JOINS COLLEGE FACULTY

Lieut. C. F. Hebert and Mrs. Hebert arrived in Jacksonville and are at the home of Miss Lucy Barr on West State street. Lieut. Hebert is taking the work at Illinois college surrendered by Prof. Percy Whisler, who resigned his position to engage in farming in Iowa.

IN NEW WORK

Dr. W. W. Crane, well known here, according to information received by friends, is soon to go to Alaska for work among influenza patients. He will go as a government appointee. Members of Dr. Crane's family now live at Oakland, Cal.

RETURNS TO OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weatherford who have been visiting at the home of Sheriff and Mrs. Weatherford, returned yesterday to Muskogee, Okla. They came to this city on account of the illness of Mr. Weatherford's mother, Mrs. Sevier, who is now somewhat improved.

Glidden Reeve has returned to Knox college, Galesburg, to resume his work. In the past term he was a member of the S. A. T. C. unit there.

IS OVERSEAS

Leland Morris, a former student of Illinois college and well known here, and subsequently located in Jacksonville, Fla., is in the army service overseas, according to letters received by friends here. He is expecting to remain in Europe for several months although he is anxious to get back to America and expects to settle in this state.

H. C. Clement, assistant cashier at the Ayers National bank has been kept at his home on South Diamond street several days as the result of a fall.

Mrs. Charles S. Black continues very ill at her home north of the city and her friends are hoping for early improvement. Mrs. Black is ill from pneumonia following influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dodsworth have gone to their home in Los Angeles, Cal. They have spent a number of months past at Franklin. They divide their time between this county and the western city.

BOOST FOR STRAW SPREADERS

A recent announcement by the Department of Agriculture reveals that the grain specialists connected therewith have at last reached the conclusion that straw spread upon winter wheat will minimize losses from winter killing. Although the opinion comes rather late for this season, it ought to be helpful to dealers selling straw spreaders.

The department specialists say that by applying straw as a top dressing winter killing is reduced probably in the following ways: The straw catches and holds the snow, prevents soil from blowing to some extent, and reduces the losses from freezing and heaving of the ground, which uproots the plants. Two ways of spreading are mentioned—with forks and spreaders especially designed for the purpose. The use of the spreader is inferentially suggested by the statement that "the principal thing to consider is that the distribution be made evenly and not so thick that it smother the plants." The quantity recommended is from one to one and one-half tons per acre.

The department men say that when weather is favorable no straw covering is needed, which is obvious; but they point out that no farmer knows what the weather will be during the winter and therefore the use of straw is an insurance against loss. Moreover, they add, that although the straw may not be needed for protection

ROY GILBERT RETURNS

Roy E. Gilbert has returned to his home, 729 South Diamond street, having received his honorable discharge from Camp Merritt, New Jersey.

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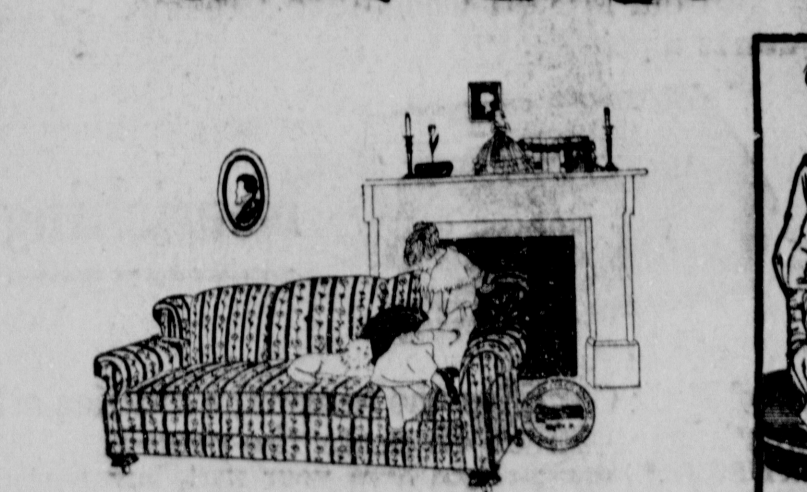
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FORMER RESIDENT DIED IN WYOMING

J. C. Hastings Passed Away — Remains of Alphonso Mitchell Buried Here — Other Winchester News.

Winchester, Jan. 7. — Mrs. Thomas Richardson received a message Monday night telling of the death of her son-in-law, J. C. Hastings of Milw. Wyo. No particulars were given. His wife was known here as Miss Flo Richardson.

The remains of Alphonso Mitchell were brought to Winchester from Bearstown Monday afternoon. Short services were held by Rev. C. W. Caseley at the Sappington undertaking rooms at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. The remains were then taken to Glasgow cemetery for burial. His brother accompanied the remains to Winchester but on account of illness in his family was compelled to return home Monday evening.

Joseph Henson was in St. Louis Monday purchasing goods for his harness shop.

Court was in session Tuesday when the chancery case of Mrs. Anna O'Donnell vs. McCarthy, bill to set aside deed, was taken up. The case was in progress when court adjourned. W. N. Hargrove and W. T. Wilson of Jacksonville are interested in the case. J. O. Priest arrived from Jacksonville Tuesday evening to try a case tomorrow.

George Metzger is in Springfield this week serving on the federal grand jury.

Hardin McLaughlin is a sufferer from influenza.

Miss Mary Stewart who has been quite ill with influenza, is recovering in a satisfactory way. John Leif left Monday for St. Louis to attend the sessions of the Retail Shoe Dealers' association.

Miss Olive Wells is confined to her home with illness.

Miss Nell Ring returned home Monday from a pleasant visit with friends in Springfield and Morrisville.

Madison Smith arrived Sunday night from Camp Grant, Rockford, with an honorable discharge from the army service.

ATTENTION, ELKS
Jacksonville Lodge 682, B. P. O. E., will hold regular session tonight, January 8th, at 7:30 p. m. Important business, and large attendance desired.

E. P. Alexander, Secy.
E. E. Henderson, Ex. R.

THOMAS JENKINSON HEARD FROM

Friends of Thomas Jenkinson have received a letter from him stating that he is likely to move soon and the probability is that his command will have the pleasure of policing a part of Germany before they return while Thomas would like to be at home this winter but he has a good experience with a good many mitigating circumstances.

He is with the Graves Registration Section, 309 and his command is made up of a great variety of men from Massachusetts to Colorado. They are generally pleasant and good companions and Mr. Jenkinson is well pleased with the service.

INSURANCE MEN LUNCH

The local board of underwriters numbering twenty with their guests enjoyed a noonday lunch at the Peacock Inn yesterday. Fred Hess and Frank Davis of Peoria and Dan T. Smith of Winchester were guests. President, Charles H. Ward presided and a pleasant time was enjoyed after routine business had been transacted.

WILL HOLD MASONIC SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Jacksonville Lodges Will Have School January 21, 22 and 23 — Is One of Five to Be Held in State.

A Masonic school of instruction will be held in Jacksonville, January 21, 22 and 23. This school is one of the five to be held in the state and no doubt will be largely attended.

The Grand Lodge has sent out an official letter to Masonic lodges throughout this section of the state notifying them of the meeting. In addition to this invitation Harmony Lodge No. 3 and Jacksonville Lodge No. 570, A. F. and A. M., has sent out a personal invitation to all members in this section to attend.

The school will be under the direction of the state officers and the Grand Master and all other state officers are expected to be present. Local Masons are looking forward with pleasure to the event and anticipate a large and profitable gathering.

**KANE RESIDENT
BUYS PAIGE CAR**
L. F. O'Donnell Tuesday sold to H. L. Manning, Kane, Ill., a Paige "Linwood" 6-39.

NORTH SIDE STORE ROOM IS SOLD

An important sale of property in the business district was recorded Tuesday, when George Schmalz became the owner of the north side store room by purchase from Mrs. L. W. Chambers. The sale was made by E. B. Wiswell and the price is understood to be \$12,000.

The store room adjoins the Degen building which Mr. Schmalz now occupies with his grocery and bakery. It is the east room of the three occupied by the Andre and Andre store and the purchase was made subject to the lease of Andre and Andre, which runs for another two years. It is an excellent building, extending north from the square to the alley. The building has been in the Chambers family for eighty years, so that in making the abstract there were very few transfers to record during many years.

BANKERS TO MEET

E. E. Crabtree left last night for Chicago and today will go to Joliet to be a guest at the home of George Woodruff, president of the First National Bank. Members of the ex-president's organization of the Illinois Bankers association are to be Mr. Woodruff's guests at dinner and to remain overnight. There are probably sixteen ex-presidents in the state and ten or twelve of them will be present. The day following Mr. Crabtree will attend a meeting of the executive council of the Bankers association in Chicago. This is a semi-annual conference.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom has removed from our midst our beloved Brother, William R. Coulter;

Be It Resolved, that Local Painters' and Paper Hangers' Union No. 525, hereby extends the sincere sympathy of its members to the bereaved daughter.

And Be It Further Resolved, that the passing of Bro. Coulter is a distinct loss to this Union, wherein he was held in high esteem.

J. W. Achenbach,
Melvin Smith,
E. E. Gohsen,
Committee.

COMMISSIONER SWALES IS HOME.

Capt. J. M. Swales, county commissioner who went to Chicago to spend the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Freeman and was taken seriously ill has recovered and was expected home last evening.

AGAIN WITH DR. SCOTT

Dr. A. C. Bolle who has been in army service for the past six months has received his honorable discharge and has again taken up his work as assistant to Dr. C. E. Scott.

COUNTY INSURANCE COMPANY MET

Mutual Organization Heard Reports and Elected Officers.

The annual meeting of the Jacksonville Farmers' Mutual County Fire Insurance Co., was held at the court house Tuesday. There was a fair attendance of policy holders and the meeting was one of large interest to the organization. Messrs. Charles S. Black, A. A. Dyer and J. A. Litter were re-elected directors for the ensuing year and the following were chosen officers:

President—Charles A. Rowe.
Vice President—John W. Leach.

Secretary—A. C. Rice.

Treasurer—Charles S. Black.

The report of Secretary Rice showed that the company's affairs are in excellent shape and that the amount of insurance now in force is about \$900,000. The losses during the past year were about what might be anticipated in proportion to the insurance in force. An assessment of 20c on \$100 of insurance was ordered by the board of directors, which with a very small assessment of 5c per \$100 insured which was made last year, constitutes a very satisfactory showing for the members.

L. O. Berryman, who was secretary of the Franklin Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. for seventeen years, made an enthusiastic talk, giving his experiences and observation in connection with mutual insurance. He said that he considered it safe, satisfactory and economical, and indicated further that the plan has the full endorsement of the state superintendent of insurance. As indicated, the affairs of this county fire insurance company are in very satisfactory condition.

FOLLOW GOOD, ECO- NOMICAL SHOPPERS TO HERMAN'S JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN EAST

Jacksonville friends have been advised of the recent death of Mrs. Harriet Copp of Reading Mass., where she had gone for hospital treatment. Mrs. Copp and her daughter, Miss Lauri Renick Copp, were residents of Jacksonville for several years while Miss Copp was a member of the faculty of the Woman's college. Her mother at that time resided on East State street and both were members of the Congregational church. For more than a year Mrs. Copp had been in ill health and those well acquainted with the family were therefore not greatly surprised to know of her death. Mrs. Copp was a woman of liberal learning and Christian culture and was held in very high regard by her friends here.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jesse Zeppenfeld to Henry Zeppenfeld, pt. lot 1, block 2 Lorton and Kedzie's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

H. H. Bancroft to Fannie B. Weir, quit claim deed to lots 20 and 21, Chandler's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

H. May Jordan to Anna Dawson lot 54 Duncan Grove addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

Freddie Chambers to George Schmalz, pt. lot 59 old plat, Jacksonville, \$1.

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted only those contracted by myself.

John A. Groves.

A VETERAN MAIL CARRIER

A veteran rural free delivery man is William A. Mason for seventeen years carrier of route one which went over the mound to Merritt and then northward and back, a circuit of 25 miles. Thru summer heat, spring rains and winter cold and snow Mr. Mason unwaveringly served the patrons of the route until the exposure he had endured brought on rheumatism and he is now taking a rest with the understanding that he may take his route again in the spring if he so desires. He has a farm in Pike county and may possibly retire to that but he is not certain. Certainly if he does go over to Pike he will carry with him a good name.

A GIFT FROM OVERSEAS

Mrs. Oliver Dickinson of Lynnville precinct yesterday received from her brother, Adam Hills, who is in Alsace-Lorraine a Christmas remembrance which she very much appreciated. It is a blue silk handkerchief with an American eagle worked in one corner. In one clasp the bird has a bunch of holly and in the other mistletoe. The gift has not a great intrinsic value but is very much appreciated by Mrs. Dickinson, coming from such a source. Mr. Hills was inducted into the service June 28 and went to Camp Taylor. Shortly afterward he was sent overseas and has been in the service there for more than four months. He is with the 22nd engineers.

Some rare bargains are offered at Andre & Andre's January Clearance of Curtains and Curtain Materials.

HI Y TONIGHT

The Hi Y club at the Y. M. C. A. is to renew its activities tonight. A luncheon will be held at 6:15 o'clock and a full attendance of membership is desired. For more than two months past on account of the influenza conditions the club has not been meeting.

ALL DAY MEETING

There will be an all day meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of State Street church in the church parlors today.

PIONEER FRANKLIN RESIDENT DIED TUESDAY

Mrs. Susan Mansfield Passed Away After Several Months' Illness—Funeral Thursday.

Franklin, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Susan Mansfield a pioneer resident of this place died at her home this morning at 5 o'clock after an illness of several months. Death resulted from diseases incident to old age.

Deceased before her marriage was Miss Susan Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Austin and was born in the Hartland neighborhood where she resided until her marriage to I. T. Mansfield. Her husband preceded her in death about eighteen months ago.

She is survived by the following children, Miss Belle Mansfield, Charles Mansfield and Frank Mansfield, residing at home; Mrs. Addie Foster of Franklin; Mrs. Lizzie Clayton of East St. Louis; Mrs. Ethel Wright, Yuma, Arizona; Mrs. Della Walker, Berkeley, Calif. Two sons preceded her in death. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. M. T. Layman, of Chicago, but a former resident of Jacksonville, and William Austin of Dakota. She was an aunt of Mrs. Dora B. Lowdermilk, Mrs. Erza Scott and William Mansfield, of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Mansfield was a member of the Methodist church and a woman who thru the long years of her life walked with Christ each day and died in the fullness of His mercy.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. H. W. Miller, with burial in Franklin cemetery.

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PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of James L. Rutherford the will was admitted to probate.

In the matter of the conservatorship of Timothy Crotty, petition to sell real estate was heard and allowed. W. W. Wright was appointed guardian ad litem for certain defendants.

In the estate of John Luckemeyer on the petition for sale of real estate to pay debts, a hearing was held. Default was entered against all adult defendants and petition was granted. Final report was also approved in this estate.

In the estate of C. H. Nall, the final report was presented and hearing continued to Jan. 10.

In the matter of the guardianship of Jesse E. Zeppenfeld, the final report was approved.

In the estate of Lucinda Winterbottom, petition for the probate of will was filed and hearing set for Jan. 27.

MRS. HERMAN HEARS FROM HER NEPHEWS

Mrs. J. Herman has had a number of interesting communications from her nephews across the seas in the service of their country.

One is from Clarence Lewis, a young attorney before he enlisted. He was near Verdun and was with the judge advocate's command and sent a beautiful photograph of the cathedral at the place where he was at the time.

Two others are from Harry Sif.

He is in Luxembourg quartered with a family consisting of man and wife and two boys respectively 12 and 15 years old. When he woke up the first morning he found his shoes blacked and when he remonstrated with the family for it they replied they owed their lives to the Americans and couldn't do enough for them. The Germans dropped bombs on the place and told the people it was Americans who did it, but the lie didn't work.

For Thanksgiving dinner they had noodle, dumplings, mashed potatoes, coffee, carrots and other vegetables and French pastry. For supper they killed a fat rabbit and had plenty of other things and he at till he was full and uncomfortable. The regular fare is also very good.

The people spend a great deal of time in the cafes, families going there and drinking beer and smoking; the women as well as men using cigarettes as a matter of course. Provisions seen plenty. Meat was good but he fancied it was horse meat but still it tasted all right. The horses in that country are very fine.

The army is pushing on into Germany and the men who did the hardest fighting will have the privilege of seeing Germany and it will be a sight worth seeing too.

WILL RECEIVE MEDALS

Members of the Boys' Working Reserve at the Jacksonville high school are to receive their medals today. They will be presented by Prof. Hopkins, principal of the high school, together with J. S. Findley, county director for the Boys' Working Reserve organization. All boys who have been in service at least twelve weeks on a farm are entitled to the medals. The medals are done in bronze and in patriotic design.

ANNUAL ROLL CALL

The annual Roll Call of the Congregational church will be held this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 in the S. S. room of the church.

All the members of the church are urged to respond. Any who cannot be present are asked to send their responses.

Zero Weather

Makes urgent demand for heavy, warm, comfortable winter clothing

ULSTERS and Ulsterettes — double or single breasted, \$15.00, Up.

SWEATER COATS — shawl collar, \$1.25, Up.

WOOL UNDERWEAR — two-piece or union — \$2.00, Up.

FUR and CLOTH CAPS — \$1.00, Up.

GLOVES — Wool or Leather — also Mittens — 50c, Up.

MACKINAWs and Sheep lined Coats, large warm collars.



Boys' Overcoats, Sweaters, Caps, Hose and Underwear --- Best Here

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Stocking
Caps

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JANUARY CLEARANCE

Curtains and Curtain Materials. Exceptional opportunities to save are offered this week

Hundreds of Yards of Scrims, Voils, Marquisettes in short lengths; colors white, ivory and ecru. January Clearing 10 per cent to 33 1-3 per cent discount.

1000 Yards Cretonne, splendid quality, all colors and designs, lengths up to ten yards, reduced One-third. All others reduced 10 to 25 per cent.

A Limited Number of Heavy Portieres in velour, tapestry and reps, reduced from 10 per cent to 33 1-3 per cent.

Rope Portieres, a few each only in leather and chenille for double and single doors. January Clearance One-half Price.

50 Pairs Duchess Curtains in serim with lace edge and valance \$2.00 quality . . \$1.45 pair \$2.50 quality \$1.95 pair

Curtains and Curtain Nets

Including CRAFT LACE by the yard and pair, also Voile and Marquisette curtains by the pair. January clearing—10% to 20%.

Extra Special

All odd pairs Curtains, short lengths of all yard materials sold this week regardless of cost.

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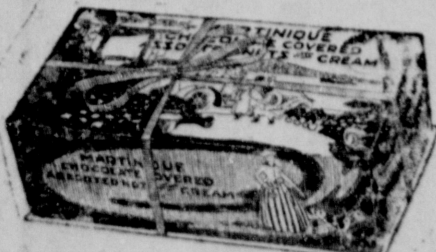
The best place to trade, after all!



Enjoy Your Winter Evenings

by taking home a box of our Mixed Chocolate Creams. They cost but 49 and 53 cents a pound.

Delicious



Nourishing

We also have a line of Bulk Candies—the kinds the kiddies ask you for when you get home—35 to 45 cents the pound.

We are busy filling IVORY SETS. Now that you have your start, buy a piece from time to time and you will soon have your set complete. All of our Ivory is the same price you would have paid five years ago.

There's Only One Way

We recommend this face powder and cream as "Excellent"

to secure a satin skin. Apply Satin skin cream, then Satin skin powder.

Try It
The Next
Time

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"With the Colors"

Letters of Interest from Morgan County Boys in the Country's Service.

From Chrestos Geanetos.

Chrestos Geanetos writes his friend, Tom Calley, of this city as follows:

Toul, November 24, 1918.

Dear Tom:

Today is the day when we can mention the name of the place we and the places we have been in the past. So I thought of writing to you and tell you of my experiences in France. We left Camp Dix on Sunday morning and at 10 o'clock we crossed on New Jersey City to New York where we entered the big transport and remained there until Monday morning at 8 a. m.

When we sail for over-seas, the trip was good. After 14 days we arrived at Liverpool on Friday, 5 p. m. We got off the next morning at 10 o'clock and after a parade, we entrained for Dover where we arrived at 11 p. m. after we had passed thru London. The next day at 11 a. m. we left Dover and after one hour boat ride, we arrived in France in the city of Calai, they took us to a camp where we thiked for two day foot deep. We stayed there four days. We turned in all the unnecessary equipment and kept only one suit of clothes and the two blankets, exchanged our rifles for the English as we were to be on the English front, we

also got our gas masks there then we entrained and after 6 hours riding, we got off the train and hiked for two days and finally we arrived at a little burg called Colmery, we were here for two weeks and held a rifle range there. Then we joined our regiment we had parted at Dix. We left from there for Flanders as thought the Germans were going to make a drive there but they made the drive at Chateau Thierry. The 4th of July we were at a rifle range just outside the city of St. Omer. We hiked three days and arrived at Warnout in Flanders, near Ypres. We stayed there for a month and drilled. Then we took for the Arras front and it took us three days to get there. We were billeted at the city of St. Pol after a month's drill. We turned in the English rifles and we got ours then we entrained. We did not know where we were going, all we knew was we had two days ride. We went thru Amiens and Paris, and arrived at a town near the Swiss border, then hiked for many days and thru Neufchateau. We

arrived at Chatanot. We were there for ten days, then we entered the motor trucks, and came on the Toul sector. We started toward the lines and after we arrived at the reserve we started to work in roads, getting them in shape after the Germans had destroyed them. The next day I was sent to this Hospital with a boil on my arm and after a month I started to work at the receiving office admitting patients. A few days ago I went to Metz with Miller from Alton. We were there for two days.

On the way up there we saw the complete destruction of towns and city buildings totally destroyed; trenches and wire entanglements blown up. The city is surrounded by hills and they are all fortified and believe me if we had to take that burg by force, we sure would have a job, but good thing the Fritzies gave up and we saved many men.

It is about 90,000 population, and it is not damaged very much. They have a beautiful cathedral and we went inside and it certainly was pretty and not a bit damaged. On the top of the entrance is the Statue of Christ on one side and the Kaiser on the other side, and when the French took charge of the city they tied his arms with a chain and put a sign "Now The World Can Live Free." The statues of Frederick, the third, and Wilhelm, the second, were torn down by tying horses and pulling them down. The funny part was when we saw a German soldier's standing up we asked why they did not take that down, they said they could not take that down because it was reinforced with steel and concrete, and they kept smoke under it all the time. Miller is speaking Dutch and we get along fine. There is very few Americans there as the M. P. don't allow nobody to go there. How we entered I will tell you when we get there. We stopped at a German restaurant and got dinner and also got acquainted. They were glad to see us and we were the attraction of the city while we were there. They now admit their mistake in letting the U. S. come in war against them. They treated us fine while we were there. A salesman took us to his house where we slept that night and the next morning he had breakfast ready for us around to all the leading places. They sure treated us fine; they were real Germans, not from French descent.

Tom when you get thru with this letter, send it to my brother in Galesburg, as I don't want to write another one of the same thing. Tomorrow I will go up again and visit the same city. They are having some good looking girls and you must not think that I am going there to see any of them as I will go there for some souvenirs. Today I received a dozen letters from different places; three from you; one from Morning Star, and one from Ct. Buher, and was very glad to learn that you all are getting along fine. I was surprised to see in your letter that John was gassed and he never mentioned it to me in his letters. But I am glad that he was not hurt very bad. I had a letter from him today under date of Nov. 14th just a week ago, he is up in Belgium somewhere.

Well, Tom, I guess you did not have to go to camp. Well, at that old boy, you did not miss anything. Today I met Jack O'Brien, he has been here for about a week, and I think he will go back to his company in a few days. He is looking very good.

I was intending to get a fur-lough and go to see my parents, but I think I will give up the idea as I will not be able to get the pass. And do not be surprised if you see me by New Year. Gust Papacostas, friend of mine, and from my home town, is leaving in the morning for the Saates I went over to bid him good-bye. And believe me, that made me homesick, but I could not help it.

Well Tom, give my regards to all my friends and relatives.

Yours,

From Clarence F. O'Connell

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Connell of Murrayville are just in receipt of the following letter from their son Clarence F. O'Connell, who is with Co. M., 52nd Infantry, A. E. F.:

Somewhere in France, Sunday, Dec. 8, 1918.

What 15c and This Ad Will Bring You

Take this ad to your drug-gist with 15 cents and get a

Soul Kiss

Souvenir Set

Contains Soul Kiss Talcum and Face Powder, Perfume, Toilet Water.

Keizer Bros. Drug Co. St. Louis

Dear sisters Mary, Mabel, Agnes and Edna:

I thought I would write the four of you a letter in one today and let you know that I am well and feeling fine. How is everybody at home by now? I hope you are all as well as I am. I have not received any mail for about a month, so I am getting a little anxious to hear the news from around home, but I am not worrying about you because I feel like you are all well.

Did Papa receive his Christmas letter? I wrote one to mama dated the 23rd of Nov. It was the first chance I had to write since the last of October. We were in a rest camp then. From that time on we were kept pretty busy chasing the Germans. We had a hot chase after them before they gave up. It was more like a foot race than a fight, they were retreating so fast, but it sure is fine that they gave up.

Well, girls, in my last letter to Mama I said I had left my company for a few days. Well, I suppose you are all wondering where I am, so I will tell you. My ankle got a little weak and it was hard on me to hike so I left my company on the 22nd of November and went to a rest camp. My ankle is all right now and I have a nice place to stay and except for my mail I wouldn't want to go back to my company. I have good meals and a good bed to sleep on.

Every Sunday we have something extra to eat. Today we had chicken, gravy, peas, potatoes, bread, coffee and cake. We have an entertainment two or three times a week at the Red Cross. We had one Friday night and it was as good as I ever saw. We have two pianos at the Red Cross so we have lots of music and singing all the time, so you see I have a pretty nice place but I don't know how long I will get to stay here. How are Tom, Irene and Joe getting along? Do they come over as often as ever?

How are you getting along at school this winter? I guess it is pretty cold walking these mornings, isn't it? We sure have fine weather here now; it is more like September than December. Does Edna go to school this winter or not? How is James getting along at Routt this winter? It is sure fine he got a chance to go, but it looks like they would need him pretty badly at home.

Your Old Shoes

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—A few cents will save you several dollars. We use only best materials. All work guaranteed.

L. L. Burton
223 West Morgan St.

I met Ray Jennings in the Red Cross the other day. I sure was glad to see him. We sat down and got interested talking and we both missed our dinner. Well girls, I guess you will soon be expecting Santa Claus. I wish I could send you all a Christmas present, but I guess I can't this time. Well, girls, this is all I can think of this time so I will close, hoping to get a letter from all of you soon.

Tell Mama and Papa and the boys and the rest of the folks hello for me.

So goodbye. From your brother, Clarence F. O'Connell.

Co. M., 52nd Inf., A. E. F., A. P. O. No. 777.

ASBURY

Howard and Rowena Mezzan were Saturday guests of their cousin, Charles William Megginson near Woodson.

Llyford Reynolds and Carl Black spent Sunday with Delos Craig.

R. W. Megginson and family held a reunion at the home of his daughter Mrs. Claude Winter, last Sunday.

Miss Minnie Green of South Jacksonville was a Monday guest of Mrs. John Ecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCurley and children, William and Lenine Louise, and Mr. and Mrs. Ver-tress Blimling and daughter Margaret, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCurley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Megginson of Beardstown spent Monday at the home of his father, E. W. Megginson and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Megginson.

Mrs. Carl Hembrough spent New Year's day with her friend, Mrs. E. N. Craig.

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DORWART'S
Cash Market

Used Household Goods That Are Less Than Owners Receive at "Selling-Out Sales"

Our bargain list this week is almost all from our used department. Most of these bargains will sell early. If you are interested at all, better come at once.

- 1 Extra large real leather Rocker, full quartered oak, perfect condition, looks almost new — would cost new at least \$35.00. **\$14.50**
- This week **\$14.50**
- 1 Kitchen Cabinet, sliding top, cupboard with glass doors; a new cabinet like this would be \$35.00—this one refinished, at **\$13.50**
- 1 No. 17 Oak Heating Stove, perfect condition **\$14.75**
- 1 No. 13 Oak Heater; serviceable condition **\$5.00**
- 3 Mahogany Parlor Pieces — 2 Chairs, 1 Settee — loose green velvet cushions; fine condition — refinished and modern in design; 3 pieces **\$15.00**
- 1 2-pedestal Library Table, solid quartered oak, cannot be told from new; little used and priced at half new price **\$14.50**
- 1 Library Table, quartered oak; new price \$15.00 **\$7.50**
- 1 \$20.00 Dresser; used three weeks **\$12.50**
- 1 Extra large used Dresser, would cost new \$40.00; modern and refinished **\$17.75**
- Refinished Vernis Martin Bed \$3.00 to **\$10.00**
- Double Deck, All Coil Bed Springs, the most perfect Bed Spring that you could buy; would cost new \$20.00; guaranteed in perfect condition **\$6.50**

All goods in our Used Department are refinished and are guaranteed as clean and perfect as new.

THE ARCADE

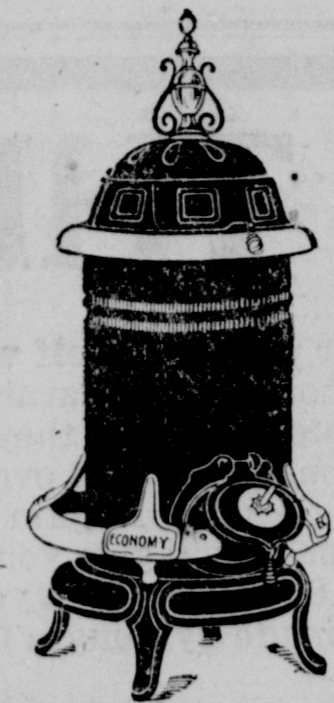
New Location—L. O. O. F. Building, west Room 312 East State Street

A Great Reduction In Odd Pieces Left Over from Last Year

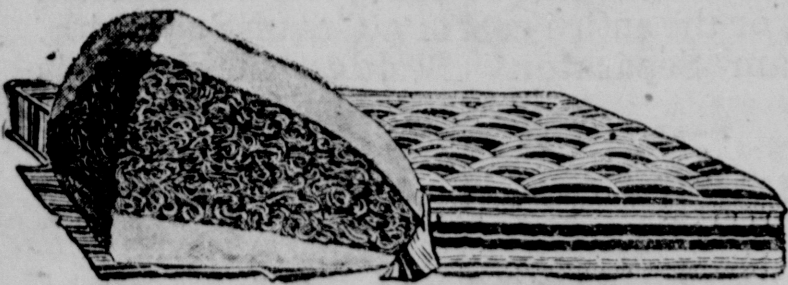
Specials For This Week Only

A 20% reduction on all our HEATERS
One like cut, size 12 **\$15.20**

A 20% reduction on this, Also a \$24.00 STOVE for **\$19.20**



Combination Mattress, weight fifty lbs., good art tick, for **\$8.95**



45 lb. all felt Mattress, best grade ticking, for **\$15.30**



C. E. Hudgin Furniture Co.

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Most Stores You Go To They Will Tell You

you can't get Wool Underwear and if we had't bought months ago we would't have it either.

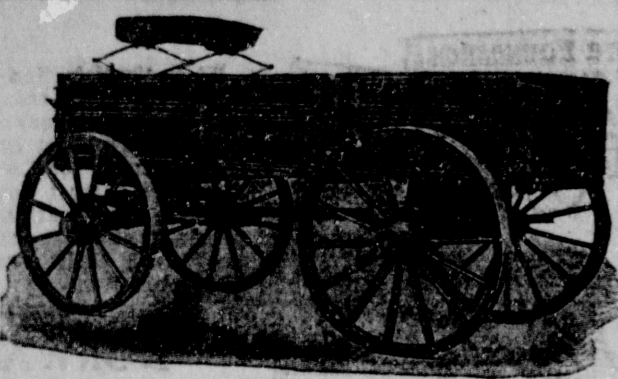
If you wear wool either in two piece or union suits we have it at prices below wholesale market.

Come see us for sheep lined COATS, heavy wool sweaters, wool hosiery and flannel shirts.



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Anyone who puts off buying farm wagons is going to be disappointed in the price and in fact that they will be unable to get them for a long time to come, factories are still working on government contract work with high priced labor and scarcity of material. We have on hand a few Studebaker Wagons that have been bought a long time and just came in. When they are gone we do not know where we can replace them. Please call and give us a chance to sell you one now while we have them.



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FARM PROPERTY
Now folks, listen, Story's Exchange says our land in this section is too cheap, compared with land selling north and east of us. Our land is too cheap as compared with prices of what it produces—corn, wheat, cattle and hogs, to say nothing of dairy and poultry products. Now are we right? October 1st, next, reflect back to this "ad" and you will know whether this is true or not. How do we know now? Because people are selling farm products and putting the money in land. Again the boys are either home or will soon be here and they want to settle close to Dad and Mam wants them close to her. We have their orders now and find them difficult to fill. There is really quite a little scramble for farms for March first delivery. Now get busy.

(A) 160 acres, three miles from a good town on the C. & A., a good well improved combination stock and grain farm for \$125.00 per acre.

(B) An excellent black prairie farm of eighty acres three miles from town with excellent improvements and a beautiful home. Price \$300 per acre.

(C) One hundred sixty acres near the city mostly good farming land with plenty of improvements and thoroughly well fenced at \$225.00 per acre.

(D) One hundred ten acres of land east of the city, two miles from elevator at \$185.00 per acre.

(E) Our pet bargain for this week: Forty-six acres one mile from the elevator. This is a nice little home for a man of moderate means. A new six room house with cellar, cistern and concrete walks. New cow shed, horse barn, corn crib and other out buildings. Price \$125.00 per acre. Now hurry.

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We have money to lend in lots ranging from Five Hundred Dollars up and aggregating about One Hundred Thousand Dollars. DO NOT WAIT ANOTHER DAY to make safe your loan for March first. DO IT NOW!

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MEREDOSIA S. S. ELECTS OFFICERS

Fred Payne Chosen Superintendent of M. E. Sunday School—Mrs. Maggie Boyd Falls and Breaks Wrist—John Reining Honorably Discharged from Army—Other Meredosia News.

Meredosia, Jan. 7.—Following is the list of officers that have been elected for the ensuing year for the Methodist Sunday school: Superintendent—Fred Payne. Asst. Sup't.—George Unland. Secretary—Verna Pond. Asst. Sec'y.—Lena Battelfeld. Treasurer—Bertha Christian. Librarians—Esther Yeakel, Eva Henderson.

Chorister—Esther Yeakel. Asst. Chorister—Rose Looman. Pianist—Beulah Butcher. Asst. Pianist—Marguerite McLam. Supt. Primary Work—Nancy Unland. Supt. Cradle Roll—Lela Brockhouse.

Supt. Missionary Work—Minnie Hammond. Supt. Home Dept.—Minnie Potts. Supt. Temperance Work—Grace Burdick.

Mrs. Maggie Boyd had the misfortune to slip and fall at her home Friday evening, breaking a bone in her right wrist.

Mrs. Harry Moss returned to Lansing, Mich. Monday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Leonard and other relatives for the past two weeks.

John Reining has returned home, having received his honorable discharge from service in an eastern camp.

Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, has received an honorable discharge from service and returned home. He was discharged from Camp Grant, Rockford.

Miss Elma Simons of Mt. Sterling was a week end guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Schmitt and family.

Mrs. H. L. Lake, daughter Frances and mother, Mrs. Arvilla Gilliland, departed Monday for their new home in Little Rock, Ark., where the former's husband recently located for the practice of his profession, Chiropractic.

Mrs. Barney Ryan returned Monday to Monmouth after visiting her sister, Mrs. S. G. Barnett.

Royal Kratz returned Saturday to Ellington, Tex., to resume his duties as a soldier until he receives his discharge. He spent two weeks here with his wife and parents.

Miss Helen Meyer was a business visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Hall was a Jacksonville visitor last Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson Sunday, a son, second child.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Baur have returned to Lansing, Mich., after visiting his parents for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winningham have returned from an extended visit with their children at Springfield. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Mrs. Harvey Masterson and Mrs. Ruth Davenport and son Philip.

James Galaway returned Sunday from Weldon where he was called by the serious illness and death of his father, John Galaway.

H. E. Harms was a business visitor in Springfield Monday returning Tuesday.

Mrs. Bessie Davis and family moved Monday into the residence where the central office for the Home Telephone Co. is now located. Mrs. Davis will assist at the switch board and answer calls of necessity during the night. Miss Ruth Hughes will continue as day operator.

Relatives here received word Monday of the death of Nellie, the two months old babe of Fred Jerden at Granite City. The mother died about two months ago making it doubly hard for the father and remaining children.

Mrs. Mary Geiss received a message Monday announcing the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Deppner at Joplin, Mo.

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WOODSON CHRISTIAN S. S. ELECTS OFFICERS

N. H. Crain Elected Superintendent of Christian Church Sunday School—Jack Butler and William Casey Receive Honorable Discharge from Army—Other Woodson News Notes.

Woodson, Jan. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith were New Year's guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Grace Biggs and family of Jacksonville.

Miss Anna Foreman of Chicago visited at the home of Mrs. Gussie Culp last week.

George Thies and family were New Year's guests of Mr. Thies' parents in Jacksonville.

Miss Daisy McKean is suffering from the influenza.

Friends of William Casey, who has been in a southern camp, welcome him home again.

Officers of the Christian church Sunday school elected Sunday for the ensuing year were as follows: Supt.—N. H. Crain.

Asst. Supt.—Mrs. Louella Hendry.

Secretary—Miss Hazel Ezard.

Asst. Sec'y.—Miss Sarajane Megginson.

Treasurer—Herbert Owings.

Pianist—Miss Gladys Megginson.

Supt. Primary Dept.—Mrs. Myrtle Crain.

Asst. Supt. Primary Dept.—Mrs. Emma Self.

C. C. Self was a White Hall visitor last Tuesday.

Mrs. T. M. Whitlock was a visitor in Roodhouse a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. Lou Sullivan and family.

George M. Cunningham and family spent New Year's in Murrayville at the home of his sister, Mrs. Nettie Million.

Members of the Ezard and Jones families are all ill with the influenza. They are all fortunate in having the disease in mild form.

Mrs. Emma Hembrough and babe of near Piggall visited her mother, Mrs. Lou Henry, last week.

Miss Edythe Nichol, teacher of the advanced grade, entertained the pupils at her home last Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in games, and delightful refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Don't forget the Ladies Aid meeting Tuesday afternoon at the Christian church, at 2:30. Please be in attendance. Election of officers.

Miss Zella Crain visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Megginson at Beardstown Thursday and Friday.

Jack Butler returned from camp last week and his many friends are glad to welcome him home.

WHEN YOU THINK of insurance, think of WARD'S INSURANCE AGENCY

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ANNOUNCEMENT
I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election.

G. E. Bond.

ANNOUNCEMENT
I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election, Jan. 25.

Charles N. Wyatt, Franklin.

ANNOUNCEMENT
I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election.

D. T. Summers.

ANNOUNCEMENT
I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner, subject to the Democratic nomination.

Richard Leake.

NOTICE
From and after this date, the business formerly and for years conducted by D. E. Sweeney, will be operated by The Sweeney Supply Co. The new firm will continue to handle bricklayers' and plasterers' supplies, and will act as agent for the famous Niantic coal.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to D. E. Sweeney are requested to arrange for an early settlement.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
Funeral services for William Smith will be held from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Fuller 1090 North Main street at 1 o'clock this afternoon in charge of Elder J. A. Connolly.

HARD COAL

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BLUFFS M. E. CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Come out and bring your children. Don't let them grow up out of the Sunday school.

Prayer meeting Thursday night. We are taking up the "Sermon on the Mount," in the prayer meeting, and after we finish that we may take up the Parables. Every body is made welcome to these services. So all who do not attend some other church are invited to come to ours. Don't stay at home and talk about how we need a revival in Bluffs and about the preachers, and about how many hypocrites there are around you. If you do you will backslide and become one yourself.

Don't say it is too cold to come, and that you are afraid of the flu. If our boys in the trenches had been afraid we never would have gained the victory. And if we are professed soldiers of Jesus Christ and are afraid of a little cold weather and of the flu and all of these things we will never go over the top here in Bluffs and see the devil driven from the field. So come on; let's shell this neck of the woods for Christ. It will do us good to get out and get used to the cold. So don't be "stay at home soldiers."

We had that kind of soldiers during all of our wars in the past. And they didn't amount to anything.

F. H. Lathrop.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to thank the many friends who assisted us in our loss and showed so much kindness during the illness of our father, J. M. DeFreitas, especially Mrs. Annie McGloshin, Mrs. Julia DeCastro, and Mrs. Lou Leidy. Also for the many beautiful flowers.

Sons and Daughters

ALL DAY MEETING

The Ladies of Brooklyn church will have an all day sewing from 9:30 on today at the church. All members are urged to be present and there is a large amount of work to be turned in for the Red Cross by January 20th.

VISITED IN WINCHESTER

Sam Coultas spent Tuesday in Winchester, visiting his mother, Mrs. Oliver Coultas.

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PLEASANT GROVE

Dr. Waters was called Saturday to see Dean Scott Crous who is sick with bronchitis.

Mrs. Grace Tucker, Minnie and Anna Clayton called on Mr. and Mrs. George Sooy last Tuesday afternoon.

Grace and Alma Jennings spent Sunday in Murrayville with Miss Gladys Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fanning called on B. L. Tucker and wife Sunday afternoon.

Clinton Tucker, Minnie and Anna Clayton attended the Red Cross dance in Murrayville from Pleasant Grove.

E. M. Jennings butchered hogs Saturday.

G. W. Dobson is still on the sick list.

Clyde White returned home Saturday afternoon after visiting his aunt, Mrs. Bertha Henry.

Lurton Tucker was a Jacksonville caller Tuesday.

Miss Alma Jennings has secured a boarding place with Mrs. Barker for the balance of the school term.

George Sooy received an official dispatch Sunday morning from the government stating that his son Earl had been missing since Oct. 22. We extend our sympathy, hoping they will hear better news of their son.

D. J. Crouse butchered hogs Monday.

Mrs. Helen Hall called on her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jerry Hall, Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wiswall spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Grace Tucker at the farm.

Willard Hall of Camp Custer called on Mrs. Earl Hall Tuesday morning enroute to Clarence Dalton's. Private Hall has a 3 day furlough.

B. L. Tucker called on G. W. Dobson Saturday morning.

WILL RATIFY ACTION OF CONGRESS

The Jacksonville W. C. T. U. request all who are interested in the cause of Temperance, to join them and all W. C. T. U. workers of the nation today for the ratification of the amendment for National Prohibition by congress. If not at the noon hour at some time during the day.

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When your vision is tested HERE for glasses it is examined with the most painstaking care by an OPTOMETRIST using the very best of modern scientific instruments.

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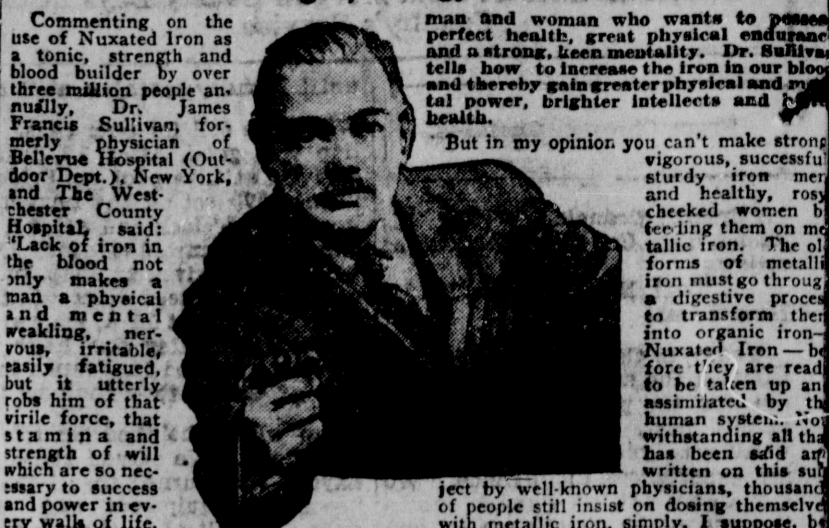
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It may also transform a beautiful, sweet-tempered woman into one who is cross, nervous and irritable. I have strongly emphasized the great necessity of physicians making blood examinations of their weak, anemic, run-down patients. Thousands of persons go on year after year suffering from physical weakness and a highly nervous condition due to lack of sufficient iron in their red blood corpuscles without ever realizing the real and true cause of their trouble. With iron in your blood your food merely passes through the body something like corn through an old mill with rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind."

For want of iron you may be an old man at thirty, dull of intellect, poor in memory, nervous, irritable and all "run down," while at 50 or 60 with plenty of iron in your blood you may still be young in feeling, full of life, your whole being brimming over with vim and energy."

The accompanying article of Dr. Sullivan should be carefully read by every

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CHICAGO & ALTON
North Bound
No. 10, "The Hammer," daily 1:32 a. m.
No. 70, Chicago-Peria Express, daily 6:20 a. m.
No. 15, St. Louis-Kansas City, daily 12:05 p. m.
No. 14, Bloomington and Peoria local, arrives at Jacksonville daily 4:55 p. m.
No. 30, arrives from St. Louis daily 8:55 p. m.
South and West Bound
No. 17, St. Louis Accommodation, departs daily 6:45 a. m.
No. 18, St. Louis-Kansas City, daily 10:15 a. m.
No. 17, St. Louis-Mexico Accommodation, departs daily 3:15 p. m.
No. 71, Kansas City "Hummer," daily 8:45 p. m.
North of Bloomington daily except Sunday.

WARREN EAST BOUND
No. 72, local frt. ex. Sunday 10:20 a. m.
No. 12, daily 11:30 a. m.
No. 28, daily 2:25 a. m.
No. 4, daily 3:10 a. m.
No trains stop at Junction.
West Bound
No. 9, daily 12:45 p. m.
No. 73, local frt. ex. Sunday 12:30 p. m.
No. 3, daily 2:10 a. m.
No. 15, daily 5:30 p. m.
C. P. & ST. L.
North Bound
No. 36, daily 7:40 a. m.
No. 38, daily 11:30 a. m.
No. 38, leaves 2:30 p. m.
No. 37, arrives 6:42 p. m.
BURLINGTON ROUTE
North Bound
No. 47, daily 11:20 a. m.
No. 11, daily ex. Sunday 4:30 p. m.
South Bound
No. 12, daily 6:45 a. m.
No. 6, daily ex. Sunday 11:20 p. m.

OMNIBUS

WANTED

WANTED—Second hand buggy. Address Buggy, care Journal. 1-7-19.

WANTED—To loan \$500 on real estate. Address C. A., Journal. 1-3-19.

WANTED—One or two furnished rooms. Apply Peacock Inn. 1-4-19.

WANTED—To rent a farm, from 30 to 100 acres. Address B, care Journal. 1-8-19.

WANTED—A good 2nd hand Remington or Underwood typewriter. What have you and how much. 1-8-19.

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Two in family. "Rooms," this office. 1-7-19.

WANTED—Baled hay and straw. J. W. Arnold. Both phones. 1-4-19.

WANTED—To buy child's bed. Address, stating condition and price. "Bed," care Journal. 1-7-19.

WANTED—For services as a companion evenings will give the use of a furnished room free of charge. Blocks from square. Address "Room," care Journal, with references. 1-7-19.

WANTED—Girls; eight hours, easy work. McCarthy-Gebert Co. 1-7-19.

WANTED—Woman for general housework, 726 North Main St. 1-7-19.

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WANTED—Experienced housekeeper. Apply Mrs. J. T. Hoffman, 134 Pine street. 1-7-19.

WANTED—Man or boy to do chores night and morning. Call at residence, 1800 S. Main. A. M. Masters. 1-4-19.

WANTED—Man, with car, for Jacksonville and vicinity; must be hustler, no sales experience required. Address "Sales Manager," care Journal. 1-8-19.

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FOR RENT—Furnished room, No. 5 Cherry Flats. Call evenings. 18-19.

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FOR RENT—Furnished room, Ill. phone 90-712. 612 E. North street. 1-7-19.

FOR RENT—One or two modern furnished rooms, 240 Pine St. M. G. Fernandes. 1-7-19.

FOR RENT—Very desirable furnished rooms, 905 N. Church. Ill. phone 1575. 1-5-19.

FOR RENT—Two rooms; modern; unfurnished; also two stalls for cars. Norman Dewees, 515 North Church street. 12-24-19.

FOR RENT—2 room house, 314 W. College avenue. Inquire E. J. Dege. 320 Franklin street. Ill. phone 541. 12-13-19.

FOR RENT—Eight room house, Spaulding Place; front and back porch; furnace; well; cistern. \$15.00. Apply 115 Spaulding or call Ill. 50-501. 12-21-19.

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FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Bob sled. 653 Hardin. 1-7-19.

FOR SALE—Six fat hogs. Illinois phone 50-501. 1-7-19.

FOR SALE—White Rock Cockerels. Mrs. Ed Leach, Winchester, Ill. 12-1-19.

FOR SALE—Six brood sows. Call Bell phone 473. Ill. 50-461. 1-7-19.

FOR SALE—A farm of 100 acres, 6 miles southwest of Jacksonville. John Whalen, Jr. 12-1-19.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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FARMERS—Have your sale bills and cards printed as they should be, by Long, the Printer, West Morgan St. 1-5-19.

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LOST—Black and tan bound; answers name Jack Leach. John Ornelas. 975 N. Prairie. 1-5-19.

LOST—On North Main St., pair child's gold rim eye glasses in case. Reward for return to 712 North Main St. 1-8-19.

LOST—Black fox fur in Rialto theater. Return to French girls at Worcester's College. 1-8-19.

LOST—Small green velvet pocket book containing three checks, three \$10 bills and some small change. Reward. Mrs. Albert Hills, Winchester, R. S. Bell phone 355-2. 1-7-19.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of William D. Cleary, Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of William D. Cleary late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, on the 15th day of March, 1919, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of December A. D. 1918.
THOMAS F. BARBER, Administrator.

GROCERIES PAY
Potatoes, per bushel.....1.25
Onions, per bushel.....1.50
Spring, per bushel.....1.50
Butter, per pound.....15c
Eggs, fresh, per dozen.....50c
Hard, per dozen.....40c
Packing stock butter, per pound.....12c
COMMISSION MEN PAY
Stags, per head.....1.50
Hens, per head.....1.00
Cocks, per pound.....1.00
Springs, per pound.....1.00
Ducks, per pound.....1.00
Geese, per pound.....1.00
Guinea, per pound.....1.00
Turkeys, per pound.....1.00
Eggs, fresh, per dozen.....50c
Beef hides, per pound.....1.00
Packing stock butter, per pound.....12c
HAY AND GRAIN RETAIL
Timothy hay, per ton.....25.00
Alfalfa hay, per ton.....25.00
Clover hay, per ton.....25.00
Oats, per bushel.....1.00
Bran, per cwt.....1.00
Cracked corn, per cwt.....1.00
Coarse meal, per cwt.....1.00
Middlings, per cwt.....1.00
Scratch feed, per cwt.....1.00
Corn, per bushel.....1.00

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New York, Jan. 7.—Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 yellow \$1.70 3/4, and No. 2 white \$1.70 3/4 cost and freight New York.
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NEW YORK BOND LIST
U. S. 2s registered.....98
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U. S. 3s coupon.....83
U. S. Liberty 3 1/2, 1942.....99.65
U. S. 4s registered.....106 1/2
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INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK
Indianapolis, Jan. 7.—Hogs—Receipts 10,000; 25c to 35c higher; heavy \$17.84@17.90; light \$17.50@17.80; pigs \$17.00@17.25.
Cattle—Receipts 1,000; higher. Sheep—Receipts 300; steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK
Kansas City, Jan. 7.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; strong; bulk \$17.10@17.50; heavy \$17.00@17.65; packers and butchers \$17.15@17.70; lights \$16.90@17.50; pigs \$16.00@17.50.
Cattle—Receipts 14,000; strong; prime fed steers 18.00@20.00; dressed beef steers \$13.00@18.15; calves \$7.00@14.00.
Sheep—Receipts 4,000; strong; lambs \$12.50@16.35; yearlings \$11.00@12.25; wethers \$9.50@11.25; ewes \$8.50@10.00; stockers and feeders \$6.00@16.50.

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WEAKNESS REMAINS LONG AFTER Influenza

Reports Show That Strength Energy and Ambition Return Very Slowly to Grippe Patients.

Doctors advise that nature be assisted in its building-up process by the use of a good tonic—one that will not only put strength and endurance into the body, but will also help to build up and strengthen the run-down cells of the brain.

One of the most highly recommended remedies to put energy into both body and brain is Bio-feren—your physician knows the formula—it is printed below.

There's iron in Bio-feren—the kind of iron that makes red blood corpuscles and creates vigor. There is lecithin also; probably the best brain invigorator known to science. Then there is good old reliable gentian, that brings back your lagging appetite.

There are other ingredients that help to promote good health, as you can see by reading this formula, not forgetting kolo, that great agent that puts the power of endurance into weak people.

Taken altogether Bio-feren is a splendid active tonic that will greatly help any weak, run-down person to regain normal strength, energy, ambition and endurance.

Bio-feren is sold by all reliable druggists and is inexpensive. For weakness after influenza patients are advised to take two tablets after each meal and one at bedtime—seven a day, until health, strength and vigor are fully restored.

It will not fail to help you and if for any reason you are dissatisfied with results your druggist is authorized to return your money upon request—without any red tape of any kind.

Note to physicians: There is no secret about the formula of Bio-feren, it is printed on every package. Here it is: Lecithin; Calcium Glycero-phosphate; Iron Peptonate; Manganese Peptonate; Ext. Nux Vomica; Powdered Gentian; Phenolphthalein; Oleasterin.

Lee P. Allcott Says
After each meal—YOU eat one

EATONIC
For Your Stomach's Sake

and get full food value and real stomach comfort. Instantly relieves heartburn, bloated, gassy, ceiling, STOPS acidity, food repeating and stomach misery. AIDS digestion; keeps the stomach sweet and pure.

EATONIC is the best remedy and only costs a cent or two a day to use it. You will be delighted with result. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. Please call and try it. Lee P. Allcott, Jacksonville, Ill.—Adv.

SYRUP OF FIGS' IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look At Tongue! Remove Poisons from Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. —Adv.

'AT A TABLET! STOP DYSPESIA AT ONCE
Pape's Diapiesin Instantly Relieves a Sour, Gassy or Acid Stomach.

When meals hit back and your stomach is sour, acid, or you feel all bloated. When you have heavy lumps of pain or headache from indigestion. Here is instant relief!

NEW YEAR'S DINNERS
AT MURRAYVILLE

Number of Family Gatherings Held—Ladies Aid will Give Chicken Pie Supper—Murrayville News Notes.

Murrayville, Jan. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Millon entertained relatives of Mrs. Millon at a New Year's dinner Wednesday. Those present were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Cunningham, and sisters Mrs. Ada Martin, Misses Stella and Cecile Cunningham and brother C. M. Cunningham and family of Woodson, Harold Cunningham and an uncle, Rev. A. M. Cunningham and wife of China.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDavitt of Hettick were guests last week of J. L. Solomon and family.

The W. P. M. S. will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. A. Carlson. All members are requested to be present and visitors welcome.

Chas. Stiles and wife were guests Sunday of the latter's father, J. W. Hettick of Jacksonville.

E. A. Whitlock of Deatur spent Sunday night with C. R. Short and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rimby entertained a limited number of relatives and friends at dinner New Year's day. Those present were Mr. Rimby's father, Uriah Rimby, who is 87 years of age; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wareup, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. McGhee of Murrayville, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hines, Mrs. Richard Hopper and Miss Minnie Taylor of Jacksonville.

Miss Mallinda McCarty of Jacksonville spent several days last week with her sister Mrs. Harry Cade and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Riggs and son of Jacksonville were visitors here Saturday and Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon in the town hall and give an afternoon's sewing for the Belgian Relief Work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker spent New Year's day with relatives in Jacksonville.

S. B. Robinson received word Sunday that his nephew, Roy Robinson, living at Petersburg, had been accidentally shot and killed.

Miss Ethel Whitlock was a guest of her cousin Miss Hazel Duncan of Manchester, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Crouse spent the last of the week with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Masters and family of Jacksonville.

The Ladies Aid Society will give a chicken pie supper and entertainment in the church basement Thursday, Jan. 23rd. Everybody invited.

Mrs. L. O. Goodrich and daughter Irene of White Hall spent Monday night with her brother S. B. Robinson and wife.

Born recently, to Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Totten, a daughter, at the hospital in Jacksonville.

Harry Phelps is quite seriously ill with double pneumonia following an attack of the flu.

S. B. Robinson attended the funeral of his nephew, Roy Robinson at Petersburg, Tuesday.

Thomas Bradley and wife of Virden are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradley this week.

Miss Bird Blimling of Jacksonville spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. J. L. Dunaway and family.

Everett Sheppard and family moved last week in the house with Mrs. Sheppard's mother, Mrs. Brittain, who is in very poor health.

Miss Helen Ryman of Jacksonville spent Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Wyatt.

Mrs. A. M. Masters of Jacksonville spent Monday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Strang.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wright went to Jacksonville Saturday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wright. Mr. Wright, who has won in poor health for some time is not so well.

William Dobson of Jacksonville spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Martha Dobson.

Deputy Sheriff Wright of Jacksonville was a business visitor here Monday.

PUBLIC SALE
Public sale, soon after, Clark Green's sale, on January 7th, one-half mile north of his farm, owned by Chas. M. Strawn. Two young cows, thirteen calves, cream separator, rotary hoe, 16-inch walking plow, Acme sweeping rake, grapple fork. E. O. Towne.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES FROM ASHLAND
Items Telling of the Doings of Residents of Ashland and Vicinity.

Ashland, Jan. 7.—Write it 1919.
Mrs. W. B. Dyer has been on the sick list with the flu the past week.

Frank Beggs, one of the Ashland soldier boys, received an honorable discharge and returned home last week.

The Lyric theatre has again opened, Saturday, 4, after being closed for several weeks on account of the epidemic.

Mrs. Reed and family have moved into the residence of Michael Luby.

Mrs. Perry Holmes has been on the sick list the past few days.
A number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Tackett last Tuesday night to watch the old year out and the new year in. The evening was spent in games and music and at 11 o'clock oysters were served. It was a well spent evening and all report a fine time. Those present were Misses Lula Brumback, Jessie Parsons, Leta Watt, Mrs. Evelyn Dorand, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Camp and daughters Lela and Blanche and George Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Nix and daughter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Koontz.

John Milstead and family will shortly move to Ashland to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cunningham of Flora, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Perry Holmes.

Pre-Inventory
CASH SALE

C. C. PHELPS DRY GOODS COMPANY

Pre-Inventory
CASH SALE

Eight Day Pre-Inventory

January Cash Sale

Ends Saturday, Jan. 11. Don't Miss This Opportunity.

Stock taking time is here. We must make a record of everything in our store. It is a big job. We want you to help us by relieving us of some of the stock. We pay you for your trouble by making reductions in all lines. This is the time of the year when we prefer the MONEY to the stock. We want to make room for early Spring purchases.

Hosiery

Ladies' \$1 black boot silk Hose 79c
Ladies' 59c black fleeced Hose 49c
Ladies' 35c black and white out size Hose22c
Ladies' 75c blk. cashmere hose 59c
Ladies' 85c black, brown or gray lisle Hose75c

SPECIAL LINE

Ladies' 50c Black, Brown, Gray and White Hose, 35c or 3 pair for \$1.00

Infants' 35c white lisle Hose . . .25c
Men's 35c black or colored Sock 25c
Children's dark brown Hose . . .50c

Underwear

Children's Wool Pants and Vests, ages 2 to 14 yrs., \$1.25 quality 75c
Children's \$1.75 part wool Union Suits\$1.39
Ladies' \$1.25 Pants and Vests 89c
Ladies' \$1.50 medium weight Union Suits, elbow sleeves, low neck and ankle length89c
Ladies' \$2.00 fine lisle Union Suits, medium weight\$1.39

Gloves, Ribbons, Etc.

KID GLOVES SPECIAL
\$3.00 Kid Gloves \$1.49
These gloves cannot be exchanged. Not guaranteed. Cannot be returned.

\$1.25 Chamois Suede Gloves .89c
\$1.00 Chamois Suede Gloves .79c
Children's 35c wool golf gloves 19c
Boys' 60c gauntlet Gloves . . .45c
Remnant Ribbons . . . Half Price
Ladies' 65c Boudoir Caps . . .49c
15c Embroideries7c
15c Laces7c
8 1-3 Luster Cotton, per spool .5c
15c Star White and Colored Crochet Cotton10c

HANDKERCHIEF SPECIAL
These Handkerchiefs were mussed and slightly soiled during the Holiday rush, but see the prices.
35c and 50c ladies' Handkerchiefs25c
15c and 20c ladies' Handkerchiefs15c, or 2 for 25c

Cotton Piece Goods

35c Percales29c
50c Dress Gingham35c
30c Apron Gingham25c
50c Cotton Crepe32c

29c—VERY SPECIAL—29c
40c Handsome Dress Gingham for29c
40c Shirting Gingham29c

A 10 per cent discount will be allowed on all Wool Dress Goods. All remnants half price.

Balcony Specials

One lot high colors Wool Yarn for Sweaters, 75c value45c
\$1.25 Columbia Worsted Knitting Yarn, odd colors, to close out the lot, skein, at85c
\$1.25 light colors Bungalow Aprons at85c

READY-TO-WEAR EXTRA SPECIAL

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters

All colors and sizes. To close out this line we offer them AT ONE-FOURTH OFF REGULAR PRICE

Ladies' and Children's Toques

Assorted colors, styles and sizes

ONE-FOURTH OFF REGULAR PRICE

Ladies House Dresses

TEN PER CENT OFF REGULAR PRICE

Gowns

Ladies' \$2.00 Outing Cloth Gowns \$1.80
Children's \$1.00 Outing Cloth Gowns \$.90
Children's \$1.25 Outing Cloth Gowns \$1.12

Silk Petticoats

Some all-silk Taffeta and some Jersey, Tops.
\$5.75 Silk Petticoats \$4.95
\$3.95 Jersey Top Messaline Flounce \$3.48
One lot of Silk Petticoats. Some Heatherbloom Tops and Silk flounces, to be closed out at \$2.95

Blouses

Ladies' Georgette Crepe-de-Chine and Assorted Shaped Taffeta Blouses.

CHOICE OF THE LOT AT HALF PRICE

One lot mussed Muslin Underwear, caused from handling, consisting of Gowns, Envelope Chemise and Corset Covers. TAKE THEM HOME AT HALF PRICE.

Ladies' Dresses

One lot Ladies' Wool Serge Dresses, \$17.75 value, choice of the lot \$11.75
One lot Ladies' Silk Dresses, assorted colors, \$17.75 value, you get your choice for \$12.75

All other dresses in this department will be priced to you at very special low prices.

Ladies' Latest Model Suits

This is your opportunity to secure a handsome late style suit at very special reduction in price.

\$54.75 Suits for \$34.75
\$49.75 Suits for \$32.75
\$46.75 Suits for \$29.75
\$43.75 Suits for \$27.75
\$37.75 Suits for \$24.75

Ladies' Cloth Coats

Take advantage of these prices to secure a Cloak for this winter and be ready for next winter.

\$46.75 Coat . . . \$29.75
\$42.75 Coat . . . \$27.75
\$39.75 Coat . . . \$26.75
\$37.75 Coat . . . \$24.75
\$34.75 Coat . . . \$23.75
\$37.75 Misses' Cloth Coat . . . \$24.75
\$24.75 Misses' Cloth Coat . . . \$19.75

Children's Coats

\$22.75 Cloth Coats \$13.75
\$13.75 Cloth Coats \$ 9.75
\$ 9.75 Cloth Coats \$ 6.75
\$16.75 Cloth Coats \$12.75
\$10.75 Cloth Coats \$ 7.75
\$ 7.75 Cloth Coats \$ 5.75

Ladies' Dress Skirts

One lot \$14.75 Skirts, choice \$8.95
One lot Wool Panama Skirts, choice for \$5.75
One lot Fancy Stripe Silk Skirts \$5.75

Ladies' Suits

One lot ladies' Suits. Variety of colors, styles and sizes. These are spring and autumn weights.

CHOICE OF THE LOT AT HALF PRICE

Furs! Furs!

To close out our line of Furs during this sale the price will be ONE-FOURTH OFF THE REGULAR PRICE.

Blankets

\$20 all-wool Plaid Blankets \$12.95
\$18 all-wool Plaid Blankets \$11.95
\$10 Wool Nap Blankets . . . \$ 7.75
\$7.00 Plaid and Stripe Wool Nap Blankets \$5.98
\$ 6 Khaki Soldier Blankets \$3.00
\$10 Khaki Soldier Blankets . . \$5.00
\$6.50 fancy Bath Robe patterns \$4

SHEETS

These are not perfect Sheets. Some are soiled hemming in, some are bad, some have small holes or tears in them. Sold as imperfect sheets.
\$2.25 quality, sale price . . \$1.69

Outing Cloths

35c light and dark Outing cloth 25c
30c White Outing Cloth . . . 22c
25c white Outing Cloth . . . 18c

Table Damask & Crash

\$1.00 72-in. Bleached Damask 89c
\$1.25 72-in. Bleached Damask 98c
\$1.00 red or blue Table Damask 89c
20c Bleached Cotton Crash . . 15c
25c Bleached part linen Crash 17c
1-piece Brown 35c all linen Crash for29c

Towels

60 & 75c soiled Turkish Towels 45c
35c Cotton Huck Towels . . . 25c
20c White Turkish Towels . . 13c
40c White Huck Towels . . . 29c
\$3.50 Box, 10 yds. Nainsook \$2.48

Bleached Muslin & Cambric

30c, 36-in. Bleached Muslin . . 22c
35c, 36-in. Cape Bleached Muslin at27c
40c, 36-in. Lonsdale Muslin . . 28c
36-in. Berkely Nainsook finish Cambric28c
36-in. Berkely Cambric 28c

Unbleached Muslin

25c, 36-in. Brown Muslin . . . 20c
30c, 36-in. Brown Muslin . . . 25c
40c, 36-in. Indian Head Muslin 30c

Sheetings

81-in. Bleached Pepperell Sheetting at69c
72-in. Wearwell Bleached Sheetting at63c
42-in. Pepperell Tubing 40c

BLEACHED INDIAN HEAD
36-in. Bleached Indian Head 50c
60c, 44-in. Bleached Indian Head at40c
Soft finish, suitable for nurses uniforms and middies.
NOTE THE SPECIAL PRICES!

Bed Spreads

\$2 Hemmed Crochet Spreads \$1.59
\$3 Hemmed Crochet Spreads \$2.48
See our prices on finer spreads, hemmed and scalloped cut corners.

Silks! Silks!

50c, 36-in. Aledo Silk 42c
\$1.00 36-in. A. B. C. Silks . . 69c
\$2.00 36-in. black and fancy Silks at \$1.49
\$2 36-in. gray Novelty Silk . \$1.29
\$1 36-in. gray Novelty Silk . 79c
\$1.50 36-in. Silk Poplins . . \$1.19

\$1.69 - EXTRA SPECIAL - \$1.69
\$2.25 36-in. Black Taffeta Silk at \$1.69

BASEMENT

Granite Ware

98c 9 Big Specials in Gray Granite, each article for 98c

\$1.35—14-quart rolled edge Dish Pan.
\$1.75—17-quart handled Dish Pan.
\$1.35—10-quart seamless Water Pail.
\$1.50—12-quart Seamless Water Pail.
\$1.35—8-quart Berlin Kettle with lid.
\$1.35—10-quart Preserving Kettle.
\$1.50—12-quart Preserving Kettle.
\$1.50—Tea Kettle.

\$2.00 Gray Enamel Slop Jar \$1.69

Galvanized Ware

\$1.50 Galvanized Slop Jar \$1.39
\$1.75 Medium Size Wash Tub . . . \$1.59
\$2.00 large size Wash Boiler with lid . \$1.69
75c large size Water Pail 59c
60c Medium size Water Pail 49c

\$1.00 House Brooms79c
15c Glassware10c
\$1.00 Cut Glass Articles89c
10c Toilet Paper, 4 rolls for 25c

SOAP SPECIALS

With a \$1.00 purchase of Basement Merchandise we will sell you—
7 Bars White Laundry Soap for 35c
Or, 6 Bars of Yellow Laundry Soap for 25c

Basement Piece Goods

30c Bleached Muslin22c
25c 36-in. Unbleached Muslin . . . 20c
20c Bleached Cotton Crash 15c
90c Bleached Table Damask 69c
65c Bleached Table Damask 59c
30c Dress Gingham25c
25c White Outing Cloths20c
20c White Outing Cloths15c
ALL FANCY BASKETS 1-3 OFF!

No sale merchandise to be returned, exchanged or laid aside; No telephone orders taken at sale prices!

THIS IS A CASH SALE

Store Opens at 8 A. M. and Closes at 5:30 P. M.—Saturdays at 8:30 P. M., Until Further Notice